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NOVEMBER

21 SSPCA Bridge/Mahjongg, YMCA, 3
21 Caledonian Ball Reel Practice, C.S.F., 5.30
21 *Japanese captured Port Arthur (1894)*

Coming Events

NOVEMBER

22 A.W.C. Bridge and Mahjongg, 3
22 Union Ch. Tues. Ev. Club. Dr. F. J. O'Hara lectures on "Alaska" (illus.), 3
22 For. Y. Lecture season opens. Subject: "Introductions to Europe." 9 p.m.
23 Theosophical Society, 75 Jessfield Rd. Public Lecture, 6
23 ADC, 'George' & Margaret', Lyc., 9.15
24 Royal Asiatic Society Meeting
24 B.U.S.C. lecture by S. K. Ratcliffe, Esq., Park Hotel, 5.45 p.m.
24 Customs Club general meeting, 6.30
24 For. Y. Debate, "Wife's Influence," 9
24 ADC, 'George & Margaret', Lyc., 9.15
25 Rotary Club, Metropole Hotel, 12.30
25 Caledonian Ball Reel Practice, C.S.F., 5.30
25 S'hai dialect convers'nal club. For. Y, 6 p.m.
25 For. Y. "Hour of Music," 6 p.m.
25 ADC, 'George & Margaret', Lyc., 9.15
26 Det Norske Samfund i Kina, Cercle Sportif Français, kl. 8
26 ADC, 'George & Margaret', Lyc., 9.15
27 "Kreitzer's Sonata," in 4 acts, staged by S'hai Jewish A.D.C., Lyceum, 9
28 B.R.A. ann. mtg., 27 Bund, 5.30 p.m.
28 Engineering Society Meeting, 5.45 p.m.
29 For. Y. Lecture, "Central Europe," 9
30 N.Y.U. Alumni Club reunion dinner dance, Winter Gdn., Yu Yuen Rd., 7.30
30 Caledonian Ball, C.S.F., 9 p.m.

DECEMBER

1 Rotary Club, Metropole Hotel, 12.30
1 S.W.A. Meeting, C.S.F., 4 p.m.
1 B.W.A. Bridge/Mahjongg, 3 p.m.
1 B.U.S.C. lecture by Dr. E. A. Fletcher, Lester Inst. of Med. Research, 1320 Avenue Road, 5.45 p.m.
1 For. Y. Debate, "Future Life," 9
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2 BWA operetta, King Thrushbeard, 5.30
2 For. Y. "Hour of Music," 6 p.m.
3 O.E.S. Bazaar, 178 Dufour, 10 a.m.-6 p.m.
3 BWA operetta, King Thrushbeard, 5.30
3 O.E.S. Bazaar, 178 Dufour, 10-6
5 For. Y. Chinese classes opening, 6
6 For. Y. Lecture, "Geographic Factors in Politics," 9 p.m.
6 "The Women", Lyceum, 9.15
7 Cathedral Organ/Violin recital, 5.45
7 "The Women", Lyceum, 9.15
8 Rotary Club, Metropole Hotel, 12.30
8 "The Women", Lyceum, 9.15
9 Fun Fair, Union Church Hall, 5-7
9 "The Women", Lyceum, 9.15
10 Fun Fair, Union Ch. Hall 10-12, 2-6
10 J.R.C. annual dance, A.W.C., 9
10 "The Women", Lyceum, 9.15
12 B.U.S.C. Musical, Supper, Dance evening at the Dome, 9 p.m.
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Yangtze Trade :
Third Party Rights

To the Editor of the
"North-China Daily News"

Sir,—Since Japan has rejected lately the demand made by Great Britain, United States of America and France, in respect to the Yangtze river navigation, many arguments, view-points, complaints or explanations are reported daily in the papers. However, from my personal point of view, none of them seem to have realized the vital point of this question.

The vital point referred to is this; soon after the current hostilities started, Chinese military authorities closed and blockaded the Yangtze river navigation for shipping of any nationality. Against this, none of the third parties has made proper protest within my knowledge. This means; the navigable Yangtze river does not exist any more so far as the rights or interests of the third parties are concerned. Their right in question has been completely waived according to the technical construction of international law. The right of the third parties on the Yangtze river navigation was conferred or recognized by the Chinese National Government, and it became virtually null and void, or at least indefinitely ceased to exist by the fact of blockade done by the Chinese military authorities. It must be minded that the status of blockade is still existing so far as the third parties are concerned, which Japan has nothing to do with. The Chinese blockade of the Yangtze has been removed by the Japanese force on her own accord, and which likewise the third parties have had nothing to do with.

Japanese spokesmen say: "The river has been re-opened solely for military purpose, the navigation of the third parties shipping is still dangerous, shipping facilities are not available or so on." However, these explanations are not proper and liable to be taken as an unprincipled excuse for Japanese monopoly of Yangtze river trade. Those spokesmen seem to have not clearly realized real Japanese stand in this connection.

It can be taken as generally accepted that apart from the political cause of the current Sino-Japanese conflict, the Yangtze river trade has been blockaded against Japan by Chiang's regime. And when booms and mines were laid down, the river trade of the third parties was concurrently blockaded. It is to be sympathized with the third parties whose right and interests have been completely destroyed on account of this. Now, Japan has removed the Chinese blockade of Yangtze river by force for her own interests, at the expense of tremendous cost of war operations. For such Japanese work, those third parties, who are now protesting against Japan, have not only not rendered any collaboration, but they even showed certain objection. From these vital facts, third parties are in no way entitled to claim to benefit themselves of the re-opening of Yangtze river. From lawful construction, the river is still in the condition blockaded by China but not by Japan, and no navigable Yangtze river exists now, so far as the third parties are concerned. How Japan may utilize the navigation of Yangtze river, for military purpose or for commercial purpose, it is Japan's own business. No third party can say anything against it.

The same construction can be applied to the cases of Ports of Tsingtao, Canton and Amoy, as these ports have been closed and blockaded by Chinese for any foreign shipping when booms and mines were laid down, and the lawful status of blockade will be indefinitely continued, or the function of open ports cease to exist. The removal of booms and mines by Japanese force does not affect at all the said status of the ports.

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Shanghai, Nov. 18.

Way to Peace :
Great Britain Castigated

To the Editor of the
"North-China Daily News"

Sir,—The statement by Sir Thomas Inskip in the course of a speech at Eccles a few days ago to the effect that these are sad days for the apostles of appeasement deserves more attention than it has yet received. It is evidence from a man in high authority that all is not well in this best of all conciliatory worlds, and that even the British Government, most facile of optimists, are beginning to see the writing on the wall. Little is now heard of that beautiful slogan "this is peace in our time." In its place we have much talk of an impending National Register, and still more of guns and planes and other things. This is all to the good. The only pity is that responsible British statesmen were ever able to delude themselves, and apparently many others, with the belief that a farseeing Almighty had kindly, but with due respect for the salt of the earth, relieved Britain from the necessity of meeting aggressors with their own weapons.

In face of the gathering crisis, is it perhaps too much to hope that even Editors of British newspapers in the Far East will give up their habit of castigating the natural Allies of Britain in the extraordinarily grave situation now existing, or is it still proudly thought that charges against the USSR of lack of preparation for war and failure to honour Treaties, charges often repeated and singularly lacking in evidence, are likely to cement the bonds of tolerance which should unite mighty States with at least one objective in common—the objective of maintaining their territory against aggressors?

It is possible of course that the damage already inflicted by British politicians on the principle of collective security is irreparable, and that the Government of the USSR have come to the conclusion, based on the retreat of Britain wherever her interests are threatened (in Spain, Central Europe, the Mediterranean and the Far East), that for them the only policy possible, following the British and French betrayal of the League of Nations, is one of strict defence of their borders to the exclusion of all outside commitments. The practical application of this policy is in fact to be seen in the extraordinary development of the Red Army now proceeding, and in the much greater prominence now given in all parts of the USSR to the varied activities of that formidable force as the chief, and probably only, trustworthy agency for the protection of peace within the boundaries of the Soviet Union.

The failure of Britain frankly to face the grim realities of the present political situation will have the gravest consequences for world peace, and I write this letter with little hope that capitalist contradictions within Britain itself will permit even one practical step to be taken in the direction of collective security—the only hope for peace in our time.

Friend of Peace.

Shanghai, Nov. 19.

The Buses Again :
Another Complaint of Dirt

To the Editor of the
"North-China Daily News"

Sir,—I am an express season ticket holder but on account of office hours am obliged to use the No. 2 bus twice a day.

Since the hostilities and a large number of poorer class Chinese have moved out west, this bus is now regularly packed with coolies. The other day at 7.55 a.m. I took a No. 2 bus (No. 124) and sought a corner to get away from the crowd which would later enter the bus at Tunsin and Edinburgh Roads. To my disgust I saw at each of the four corners large patches of phlegm. This is a nauseating sight immediately after a good breakfast. Today at 8 a.m. I was in another No. 2 bus (130) and again I sought a corner and found somebody had been sick. My little girl remarked the night before upon returning from school "somebody was sick in the No. 2 bus today," and what I saw this morning confirmed the fact.

Cannot the bus company do something to improve the condition of their buses? The poorer class of Chinese make a habit of spitting in the buses and, when one remonstrates with a coolie, more often than not the conductor takes his part and bus company employees have been seen to spit in buses. Could not the Bus Co. give special instructions to conductors to stop this practice? Why not warn the next offender that he will be put off the bus if he continues? What is the use of a sign "Spitting Prohibited" when such people cannot read? If the Chinese are put off the bus and they realize that they have to pay for indulging in this filthy habit, they will soon desist. Could not inspectors when checking up on tickets also, when possible, make a practice of looking at the floors of buses to ensure that they are not in a filthy state? A small boy usually sweeps out a bus at the terminus, but small boys sweep under their noses and it requires more than a broom to remove the filth that is allowed to accumulate on the floors of the buses all day and overnight. This is a menace to public health.

Looking forward to an improvement in these conditions.

Express Ticket Holder.

Shanghai, Nov. 15.

Registered Letters :
A Queer Requirement

To the Editor of the
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Sir,—About a fortnight ago I sent my maid-servant to post at the Post Sub-office on Carter Road a registered letter, the envelope of which bore my printed address including the name. She was told by the postal officer that a registered letter, bearing the sender's name and address in print, was not acceptable unless this was written by hand. My servant had therefore to secure the service of a fortune teller at a booth in the vicinity of the Carter Road Post Office in having his postal requirement fulfilled before she could get my letter accepted by the Post Office. This seems to be a funny idea on the part of the Post Office. If there is a good reason for such a requirement, I shall be glad to hear it from the Postal Authorities.

T. T. Chwang.

Shanghai, Nov. 19.

Lesson Sermon
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Soul and Body. Is the subject of the Lesson Sermon read in all Churches of Christ Scientist, throughout the world on Sunday, November 20. Golden Text:—Isaiah 26:8. "Yea, in the way of thy judgments, O Lord, have we waited for thee; the desire of our soul is to thy name, and to the remembrance of thee." Among the citations which comprise the Lesson Sermon is the following from The Bible:—"The Spirit itself beareth witness with our spirit, that we are the children of God: And if children, then heirs; heirs of God, and joint-heirs with Christ;" (Romans 8:16,17.) The Lesson Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures, by Mary Baker Eddy:—"Man's true consciousness is in the mental, not in any bodily or personal likeness to Spirit. Indeed, the body presents no proper likeness of divinity, though mortal sense would fain have us so believe."

North China to Control Match Sales

Peiping, Nov. 19.

The North China authorities will soon enforce effective control over the sale of matches in this area, according to Chinese reports.

It is stated that in enforcing control, the authorities will refuse permission for the establishment of new match factories and limit the production of those already in existence, prohibit the sale of non-official and non-taxed matches and organize a National Matches Sales Corporation to handle the sale of matches.—Reuter.

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Enthusiasm a Priceless Gift

Sermon Preached in Bubbling Well Chapel by Dean Trivett at Evensong on October 30

Text:—"*Simon called Zealotes.*" St. Luke, 6, 15.

The Church wisely bids us think on All Saints Day of the great army of saints and holy men of God who witnessed a good confession and passed from this life in the sure and certain hope of the life beyond the grave. But in addition the Church singles out certain men and on a fixed day in each year bids us learn the lessons their example can teach us. Two of these share a day between them—St. Simon and St. Jude. It is to the first of these two men I would direct your attention this evening. "Simon the Canaanite" Matthew calls him ; while Luke informs us that he was—"Simon called Zealotes."

At first sight it might seem rather an impossible task to make an individual study of this man whose name is barely chronicled in the list of the Apostles, but nevertheless let us attempt it. After all there are certain facts which we can with confidence assume respecting Simon. Jesus called him one of the twelve, one of the little group of his disciples,—his companion and friend. And for three wonderful years he companied with Jesus; shared his joys and his sorrows; heard all his marvellous teaching; witnessed those wonderful works of which we read in the Gospels. Then he was among those commissioned to go out on the first preaching tour. He was given power to heal the sick and to cast out devils. He was present in the Upper Room for the institution of the Lord's Supper; and again on the first day of the week, a witness of the resurrection. He was one of the company on whom the Spirit fell at Pentecost. But beyond this—that we can quite safely assert by the very fact that he was one of the twelve—all we know with certainty about him, is that there was a second name by which he was commonly and familiarly known and talked about. He was known as "Simon, the Zealot."

The Zealots

However this seemingly insignificant statement in reality contains a wealth of information, for the name "Zealot" is not merely the title of a party, it is the qualification of membership. History shows us that the Zealots were men of a peculiar type and character, a brotherhood of courageous enthusiasts. They had become very active about A.D. 10, when under the leadership of Judas of Gamala, they had risen in revolt against the Roman dominion. Crushed by overwhelming force and with terrible punishment and atrocity, they had outwardly accepted Roman rule, but only through bitter necessity. They had their recruits in every walk of life, and to another uprising made forty years later must be laid the blame for the reprisals that led to the destruction of Jerusalem, and the final dispersal of the nation.

In spite of their excesses there must have been much to admire in the Zealot programme for they attracted many noble minded men. They had a real love for their native land, and for all that it stood for, and they were willing to make all sacrifices for it. To this band of political enthusiasts Simon of Cana belonged, perhaps shared in some of their excesses. Then he came under the influence of the Prophet of Nazareth, and Simon the Zealot became a disciple of Jesus.

Now this is a very wonderful thing. Did you ever stop to consider how strange a thing it is that such a man should have enrolled himself as a follower of the gentle Jesus? No two men could have seemed more opposite in character and ideals. One aimed at restoring an earthly kingdom, the other looked forward to a kingdom that was not of this world.

Consider these Men

Now let us ask ourselves why from out of the crowds that followed Him, Christ chose Simon the Zealot. We can imagine that some of the more cautious members of the band, Philip for instance, himself of Cana,—advising against it. These Zealots were fiery people, difficult to restrain. And then too, Simon was not a safe man to make a disciple, if Jesus wanted to keep right with Rome. Why then did He choose him?

And first of all I think that we can say that the choice of Simon to be a disciple was a forecast of the Gospel Christ had come to preach,—a gospel of reconciliation. Consider these men.—

There was another man beside Simon whom our Lord had seemed ill-advised to call into the circle of his friends, to make one of his little band of disciples, Matthew, the Publican. Think of it, Matthew the tax collector, the servant of Rome, and Simon, the Zealot. Both likely, one might assume, to prove sources of friction in their relations with the others, and themselves diametrically opposed. But as we think it over in our minds, we begin to see why Christ selected these two—so opposite—to be His disciples. May He not have done so with a very definite purpose and just because they were opposed? Extremes were to meet in that little circle of the twelve, just as thru' Him they were to meet in the wider world. He had come to be the great reconciler. His gospel was a gospel of reconciliation. By the Blood of His Cross, man was to be reconciled to God. And as result of that, all men were to be reconciled one to another. He had come to break down all barriers,—all pride of race or caste. For in Him, "There is neither Jew nor Greek, there is neither bond nor free, there is neither male nor female." It was this gospel of reconciliation that Christ was forshadowing when He made the ex-Zealot and the ex-Publican sit down at the same table.

Think of John the Baptist, whom Jesus so highly commended. A fearless, uncompromising enthusiast. And then think of Simon Peter, the man whom Jesus took into the inner circle of His friendship, a man with many faults, but always keen and enthusiastic. Or take little Zaccheus, another man with the same spirit. We see a little but energetic man, overcoming all obstacles in order to see and hear; and then the promptness and energy of his good resolution.

Priceless Gift

Now enthusiasm is a priceless gift. It is the most potent factor in all human progress. Let us never discourage it. But this spirit must be directed to wise and useful ends, otherwise it may prove a curse and not a blessing. Simon and his comrades had a spirit that made them capable of doing almost anything. Their zeal knew no limits, but in old time it had been directed to ends that were bad and sometimes inexcusable. Who cannot multiply illustrations of misdirected zeal and enthusiasm from his or her own personal experience. Enthusiasm must be informed and directed, and we can imagine Christ saying to Simon as He had said to Peter, "Thou art Simon, the Zealot, feared and distrusted even by those you count your friends. Come and follow me, and I will make you a tower of strength. . . I will make your enthusiasm a blessing to the world." And such indeed Simon became.

More Enthusiasm

We could do with more Simons in the Church today, with more consecrated enthusiasm. We have lots of enthusiasm for other things; it carries us through difficulties and discouragements, it helps us to brave criticism and endure hardship. We have enthusiasm for games, for golf and tennis and football and racing, for a hundred other things,—but why is there not more enthusiasm for God? Why are the great majority absolutely cold when it comes to work for Christ? Oh for the enthusiasm of the martyrs and the saints, and holy men of God of days long gone by, who braved rack and fire and imprisonment rather than be false to Christ. Oh for the fiery energy of a Wesley, a Whitfield, a Booth, a Spurgeon, a Moodey, and many another in our own day and days gone by, so possessed by a zeal for Christ that they faced life and every emergency with flaming and infectious enthusiasm.

There are Zealots all about us,—can we not win them to the service of Christ? Or at least can we not catch some of their fire and use it for God? The service of Christ calls for and is worthy of the loftiest enthusiasm. Few things are to be more lamented today than that so little—a mere trickle—of the daring, and the enterprise of the modern commercial world has found its way into the Christian Church. It is reported that an enthusiast rose in a Church Council and cried,—"Mr. Chairman, I move that we move the world." And why not, for we remember that of the early Christians it was said, not only that they moved the world, but that, they turned it upside down.

We could do with a company of Christ directed Zealots in Shanghai today. God grant we may catch some of that spirit of zeal and self-sacrifice which marked the Zealots of old; and with it follow Christ in the way of service for our fellow men. That it may set our hearts on fire to work for the spread of His Kingdom. Enthusiasm that shall be lasting. For when the darkest days come remember that we have a great promise of sustaining power.

Sixty Years Ago

From the "North-China Daily News" of November 21, 1878

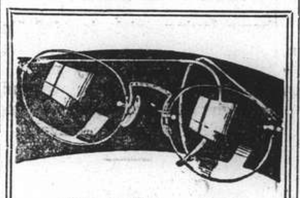
A Prohibitive Proclamation—I have received the following despatch from the Taotai: I have been informed that all goldsmiths of Shanghai within as well as without the city walls, submit silver they obtain to a process of refining with foreign acid in order to obtain the gold therein as a profit. The poison of this acid is stronger than arsenic, and by flowing into the drains and thence into the river, it endangers the lives of the people. Therefore, there might, if not severely prohibited a great danger arise from this poison. I have now directed the Chihhsien of Shanghai to act accordingly, and instruct you to immediately issue a proclamation in accordance with the above, that the practice may be stopped. Should any bad character again dare to endanger life for the sake of gain by refining silver with acid to obtain gold, he will be brought before the Court and severely punished. On receipt of the above despatch, I have given the necessary orders to my runners, and now issue this proclamation. All goldsmiths within the Settlements may therefore know that the foreign acid is a strong poison which may endanger the life of the people. And after the publication of this proclamation it shall not be used again for the sake of obtaining gold out of silver, and from this day hence everywhere the practice has to be stopped. Whoever hereafter endangers life for gain's sake will be submitted to severe punishment, signed, Judge Chen.

Mr. Alan Frederick Lascelles, who is to go with the King and Queen to Canada next year, is a member of that famous Yorkshire family of which the Earl of Harewood is the head. He will be on familiar ground in the great Dominion, for he was private secretary to the Earl of Bessborough when that nobleman was Governor-General of Canada.

British Institute Opens In Portugal

London, Nov. 20.

Lord Lloyd, Chairman of the British Council, left England for Lisbon today, and will be present at the opening of the British Institute in Portugal on Wednesday next.—Wireless through Reuter.



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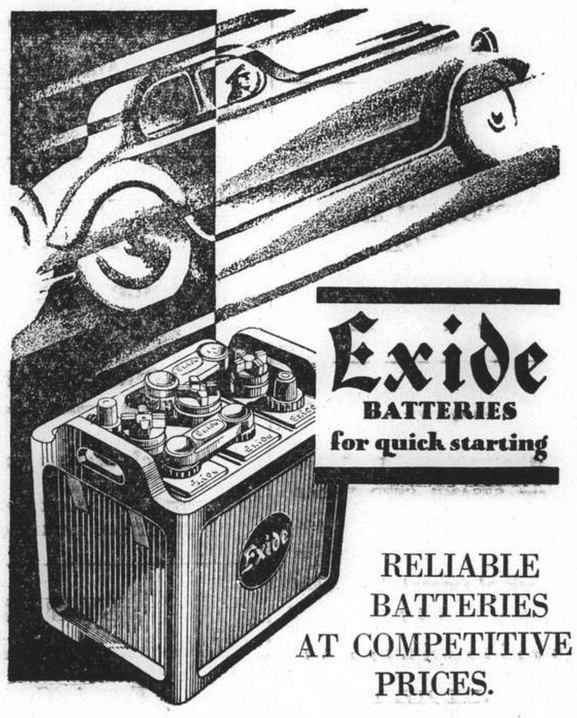

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WOMAN'S PAGE

"Long Time Ago!"

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

Shanghai, Nov. 21.

Eighty years ago tomorrow a daughter was born to Superintendent and Mrs. Samuel Clifton at the Honan Road Police Station in Shanghai. That small girl is now Mrs. B. A. Limby, known at least by name to all who can claim to call themselves "Old China Hands" and proud to say that, taking out the time that she been away from Shanghai on holidays and leave, she has spent 71 actual years in this city.

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It is doubtful if in any country in the world you could find a finer 80-year-old lady than Mrs. B. A. Limby. Interviewed on the eve of her birthday by a representative of the "North-China Daily News," at her residence, Lane 1522, 20 Bubbling Well Road, where she lives in company with her daughter, Mrs. K. H. Martin, it was quite impossible to realize that she was 80 years old. She is active, alert, happy and handsome, and Shanghai may certainly be proud of her. Obviously, with her abundant white hair and bright, sparkling eyes, she is a woman of uncommon vitality—but the moral to be drawn from her is that, provided one brings one's own good constitution to the task, there is nothing whatever to be feared from a lifetime of Shanghai.

Mrs. Limby's father had been in Shanghai for about ten years when she was born. He arrived from Hongkong with the first batch of foreign policemen somewhere between 1848 and 1850. Mrs. Clifton had remained behind in the Colony with her young children, and it was 1853 before she joined her husband in Shanghai. That she was a woman of some character may be deduced from a casual little memory let fall by Mrs. Limby when she was talking of law and order in the Settlement. Ladies were not supposed to go out alone after dark in those old days—but her mother was very fond of a walk in the darkness and she remembers hearing her say to her husband, who had demurred against it. "What *rubbish*, Samuel! You like a walk in the daylight and I like one after dark. And what's more, I'm going to have it too!" Thus spake a mid-Victorian wife and mother to her lord and master (and, incidentally, the Superintendent of Shanghai's Police). Not even in this year of grace could a lady have been bolder.

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Long Ago Living

Mrs. Limby says that, rather curiously, her clearest memories are of her early years, not of the more recent. Asked what Shanghai looked like in those days, she said houses were spaced out at wide intervals, built with deep verandahs, each in its garden and surrounded by a compound wall. From the upper windows there was a view of open spaces, interspersed with pools of stagnant water and heaps of garbage. Mosquitoes were very bad indeed—"One was eaten alive!" White Chinese stockings were worn as a matter of course in the evenings by everyone. Servants were as good (or as bad) as they are now—except that most of them spoke little or no English.

Food was cheap—eggs, seven cents a dozen, beef ten cents a pound, mutton (not much of this) 12 cents, a cabbage cost 3 cents. Water for drinking purposes was carried by water coolies from the creeks at high water and poured into kongs in the back yards. To clear it, it was stirred with an alum stick, and it was fun to watch the mud descending to the bottom. Then the water was filtered—"But we children never worried about that. When we were thirsty, we used to dip up the water straight from the kong, and never came to any harm from it. Germs?" said Mrs. Limby rather scornfully, "Why, Shanghai had never even heard the word in those days!"

Ice in the summer was brought from the Chinese ice-houses—straw houses with a deep pit dug inside into which was shovelled the ice collected from the creeks and ponds during the winter. This ice was in thinnish slivers and quite brown. But it did what was asked of it!

Shanghai summers in the old days seemed very hot. The heat began early in May. Winters, on the other hand, were mild, and in her childhood Mrs. Limby cannot remember any snow. The houses were warmed by stoves, not open grates. House rents were low. To give an instance, a house in Bubbling Well Road, now occupied by an prominent member of the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation's staff, and, except for a not very important addition, the same now as it was in the 'seventies and 'eighties of last century, was let at $35 a month!

When Mrs. Limby was two years old her mother took her home to England, going and returning by sailing ship, and in 1865 the family took a holiday in Japan. They travelled by the monthly P. & O. to Yokohama. Nagasaki and Kobe had no existence then as far as shipping was concerned, neither was there any route through the Inland Sea. The houses that foreigners lived in were semi-Japanese. Mrs. Limby's clearest recollection of the holiday is of a circus from which the orang-outang got loose. It climbed up the wall into their house and she met it walking up the hall!

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Voyaging Through Strange Seas

In 1866 Mrs. Clifton again took her family home, this time travelling by P. & O. There were a party of Shanghai ladies travelling together, including the British Consul's wife, Mrs. Markham, and the ship was very comfortable. There was no Suez Canal in those days, so they disembarked at Cairo and stopped at Shepheard's Hotel, which was then a bungalow. Camel carts were used for transport. The party visited Jerusalem, and Mrs. Limby was interested to see the recent pictures of the Holy City in the home papers, because it looked exactly the same. From there they went to Alexandria and picked up another P. & O. for England.

On the return voyage, which they made in 1870, they were passengers on one of the Clipper ships—the Argonaut—and came by way of the Cape of Good Hope. It was a strange year for weather and they met icebergs, which delighted the eyes of the small Shanghai maiden. She was laughing with glee when the annoyed Captain put a sudden damper on her mirth by shouting, "Don't laugh, you little fool! We may be smashed up at any moment!"

That was an awful voyage as far as weather went, and the Argonaut sailed up the Whangpoo, when she eventually did arrive, horribly battered, with two jury-masts, and everybody standing on the Bund to look at her. Nevertheless she had made quick time from England—only four months!

N.C.D.N. Photograph

Holder of Unbeatable Record

This photograph of Mrs. B. A. Limby was taken three days ago at her residence, Lane 1522, 20 Bubbling Well Road. Mrs. Limby, who tomorrow will celebrate her 80th birthday, was not only born in Shanghai, but has spent 71 of her 80 years actually in this city—an unbeatable record indeed!

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Childhood Memories

Children were taken by their amahs to play on the Bund. There were no jetties or pontoons and the foreshore sloped down to the water. There was a frequent injunction from Mrs. Clifton to the amah, "Now, amah, you no wantches go Ewo side this afternoon. Too muchee high tide." Another of Mrs. Limby's very early memories is of being taken for a walk down Nanking Road by her father. Suddenly a bullet, fired from a Chinese house, whistled through his bowler hat. He took it off and laughed as he looked at the bullet hole. That hat was kept as a souvenir for many years.

There were only a few children in the Settlement in those days, and the eight or ten who were of school age were taught by a missionary lady a Mrs. Lambert, who lived in a house at the corner of Peking and Kiangse Roads.

Health among the foreigners was good. There was some cholera in the summer and a little smallpox in the winter, but no dysentery. The only people who got dysentery were those who used to go north in the summer to places like Kiaochow (Tsingtao) and Chefoo. It was darkly rumoured that there was something reprehensible about the water in these resorts. On the whole it was considered that it was healthier to stay at home. When deaths regrettably did take place, the burials were in the little Shantung Road cemetery which office-goers now pass each morning on their one-way journey down Hankow Road. For sailors there was the cemetery at Pootung.

Hall & Holtz, Lane & Crawford, and York & Co. (afterwards succeeded by Weeks) were the foreign shops. Chinese tailors were very bad and practically every stitch they sewed had to be watched over. This is not surprising when one reflects on the astonishing spectacle which the female *Fang Kwei* and their garments must have presented to these slant-eyed gentry, all unacquainted as they were with the "Vogues" and "Harper's Bazaars" with which their present-day descendants educate themselves.

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A World of Happy Days

The Astor House was the only hotel and there were no boarding houses. All the firms had senior and junior messes, and it was at these messes that all the parties took place. "There was fun all the time in those days," said Mrs. Limby, "Shanghai was always roaring with laughter. What a happy time we had!" Everyone possessed either a "hansomette" or a dogcart, and one pony. The pony had to trot backwards and forwards to the office with Master during the day and could not be expected to work at night as well. So wheelbarrow coolies used to keep a keen look-out for any house which was lighted up for a party. They would all line up outside, each with a nice clean cover over his barrow, ready to wheel the revellers home.

Races were held twice a year at a small race course in the Sinza Road direction. Wives of the members of the Race Club were each presented with a programme printed in gold or silver on fringed satin. Race tiffins were free and flowed with champagne. Sunday morning riding was another joy, when all would assemble at a given house for breakfast. Later they would pull up for drinks at the "Siccawei Hermitage Inn"—the most usual drink being champagne. (Quite evidently, those were the days!) There was one man who was the owner of an American buggy—one of those great long things. There was nowhere wide enough for him to turn in, so the Municipal Council made a special turning place for him which was known as Blydenberg's Turn for many years! Driving roads ended where Carter Road is now, and there was only a footpath on to the Bubbling Well.

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Inter Alia . . .

Mrs. Limby remembers the little church which preceded Holy Trinity Cathedral. Dean Butcher was the incumbent. A gymnasium was built alongside the church, where the Cathedral School buildings now stand. The only hospital was the General, and for doctors the community depended on missionaries.

Everyone used to promenade on the Bund of an evening and be invited for drinks into one or other of the nearby residences before going home. Sherry was the favoured short drink then. There were very few robbers or thieves in the Settlement—a small sneak thief was the worst that happened, and if there were any riots or disturbances they were easily quelled.

Another of Mrs. Limby's memories is of having an early tiffin one day and going down in the train to Woosung on that classic railway which was later torn up by the Chinese, who didn't like such things.

Although she laughed when she said it, our 80-year-old resident was quite sure that Shanghai was much nicer when she was a girl than it was now. It was easy to believe her—but then, wasn't the Settlement just a debutante in those days? And who can help being rather charming at round about eighteen?

Nursing Round the World in a Luxury Liner

For six years the writer of this article has been a nurse and masseuse on American luxury liners. During her work she has cruised to the Orient and South America; shared the thrills of emergency operations; nursed and massaged famous film stars. And, before carving out this unusual career, she nursed and paid her way all round the world.

Dipping into the drowsy mysteriousness of the East, touching at its most glamorous spots, cruising lazily on luxury tours from one magic to another, taking the brisker joys of the amazing South American scenery in the same way....working as a nurse, with the absorbing interests of that profession doubled because of its setting aboard ship.... continual contacts with interesting or distinguished people .... fighting for lives in emergency operations at sea....yes, I have had all those and many thrills besides.

Nursing has its glamorous possibilities, you see. It will not tie you to one hospital or one country if you yearn to "go places and see places"—as I always did.

Nursing as a "big adventure" began for me when I left my home country, New Zealand, in 1927 to take up post-graduate work in America. I paid my own way there, and from that moment made it my game of life to work my way as a nurse round the world. In this way I explored America first and then travelled through Europe. I did all manner of nursing jobs, and always had a succession of entertaining vistas of new lands. Not the least interesting job was guarding a severe drug addict in Paris and travelling by plane with her to England. The Rhine, twisting past towered castles like the battlements of a fairy kingdom, is surely the purest vein of beauty through Europe.

I saw the Oberammergau Passion Play, and was back in America just when a large shipping company was calling for staffs for its new luxury liners. All nursing posts were filled. The one vacancy left was for a masseuse, and as I had qualified in this, I had the fine fortune to secure the appointment. That was six years ago. Since then, during appointments on various of the company's liners, I have made several trips between San Francisco and Australia and New Zealand, had two luxury cruises to the Orient, and one to South America.

The Nurse's Job

But let me first explain my work as nurse and masseuse aboard these great liners.

Hard-working spells and anxious times with patients are varied with more easy-going times, but the post carries a never-ending interest and fascination. On "straight" runs I work both as nurse and masseuse, and have my hands full. On the luxury cruises I worked principally as a masseuse, and had almost as much time as the passengers to absorb the absolute glamour of those cruises. Actually I am liable to be called at any hour, but have reasonable general working hours: 7.30 to 11.30, lunch hour, and then work to 2.30, off till 5.30, and again from 6 to 8.30.

Serious illnesses at sea are the exception, but there are usually a number of minor cases to keep us busy. The tropical cruises especially, with their sudden climatic changes, invariably brought along patients with chest troubles. We had a serious case on our last trip, when we brought a very sick woman from Suva to Sydney. She was desperately ill, and had to have constant vigilance — a 24-hour nursing job. But we made the journey safely.

The thrills of such a job are emergency operations at sea. Big liners always have a generous medical equipment. One ship, for example, has three wards in addition to the operating theatre. The latter is equipped to meet any emergency operation. It has a steam sterilizing apparatus and emergency lighting in case of failure of the ship's lighting. In addition to the doctor and his assistant, two nurses must be in attendance. The hospital is always on the lowest deck. This cuts the rocking motion to a minimum. In stormy weather the liner heaves-to during an operation, no matter how long it takes. Everything is done to ensure that these battles for life under such unusual circumstances will be victorious.

I took part in two such operations. Both were for crew members, one for appendicitis, the other for abdominal trouble. Both operations were carried out smoothly, although for one we had to halt the liner for three-quarters of an hour. This was near Honolulu.

There are at least two nurses to a liner, and they care for from 700 to 1,150 people on each trip. Sometimes the call comes at night for attention to sick passengers. A nurse will be ready to answer the call. Nurses at sea bring their soothing assurances of medical aid whatever the hour or weather, and even in the wildest and most forlorn places of ocean.

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For the potato carrole, mash 1lb. of potatoes and mix well with the yolk of an egg. Grease a round cake tin and sprinkle with browned breadcrumbs. Line cake tin with the potato mixture about half an inch thick round the sides and over the bottom, leaving a well in the centre. Smooth round the top edge and brush over with egg. Bake about half an hour. Turn out on to a hot dish and fill the hollow in the centre with Dutch sweetbreads made as follows:

INGREDIENTS.—1lb. veal, 2oz. suet, 4oz. stale bread, 1 egg, pepper and salt, ¼ gill stock, lemon juice, ½ pint gravy, grating of nutmeg.

Mince the meat, soak the bread in the stock and beat it up finely. Add the minced meat and other ingredients and bind together with egg. Form into cork shapes, egg and breadcrumb and fry. Then stew in gravy for 20 minutes.

When serving leeks au gratin, cook the white part of the leeks in water, drain off, chop up the leeks, season with pepper and salt, mix with a tablespoonful of cream, put into a gratin dish, sprinkle with grated cheddar, brown in the oven and serve.

The gateau does not require any cooking. Sponge fingers are split and spread with cream flavoured with sweetened rum. These are built up into the shape of a large brick. Mask with whipped cream and serve sliced, but kept in shape.

What to Teach Your Husband

Small Things Which Make for Comfort

That after cleaning a pipe the stem should be flushed with a weak solution of permanganate of potash. This will both disinfect and sweeten it.

That a few drops of vinegar in the water when cleansing a fountain pen ensures a free flow of ink.

That after a hair-cut, wetting the head with cold water where the hair is cut short greatly minimizes the risk of catching cold.

That by fanning out the bristles of a shaving brush after use its life will be lengthened considerably. This allows the air to circulate freely between the bristles and prevents them from rotting.

That by using two razor blades alternately—giving each a day's rest—their lives of usefulness are doubled. This method is equally effective with open razors.

That when a razor blade becomes blunt it can be rejuvenated by rubbing it round the inside of a tumbler with a few spoonfuls of water for lubrication.

That the used razor blade problem can be solved by burning them. After a short time in the hottest part of the fire they will crumble away at a touch.

A Touch of Paint

Colour and Comfort

The modern fashion for light tones in furnishing has drawn attention to the advantages of touches of paint in the home. If economy is necessary in furnishing the spare room, whitewood furniture can be bought and painted either white or pale green. Blue is inadvisable, as it is apt to give an impression of coldness, and one tires quickly of pink. But against a white or green background colours in cushions and curtains can be varied again and again.

A dull porch can be made bright and inviting by an interior coat of paint. Metal fenders which have become scratched and tarnished will take on new life with the application of a good coat of paint or enamel. A dull mantelpiece can help to change the whole appearance of a bedroom for the better if its original brown paint—much favoured by house decorators—is removed in favour of a delicate pastel tint or white picked out with black lines. Those whose tastes run to lacquer but who cannot afford a "Chinese room" can, nevertheless, have a touch of Oriental brilliance by investing in a plain, round table and covering it with one of the good lacquers now on the market. A simple design in gold or a contrast colour will give an added touch of luxury. These brilliant lacquers, even when in contrasting shades, "go" remarkably well in most rooms.

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Wednesday, Nov. 23.—Badminton. Executive Committee Meeting 9.45 a.m.

Thursday, Nov. 24.—Farewell Lunch to Miss Stops and Miss Ayrton 12.15 p.m.

Friday, Nov. 25.—Badminton.

The farewell lunch to Miss Stops and Miss Ayrton takes place at Headquarters on Thursday, November 24, at 12.15 p.m. Members wishing to attend are asked to advise the Secretary as soon as possible.

The next bridge and mahjongg afternoon will be on December 1. Members who have not yet booked their tables should communicate with the Secretary.

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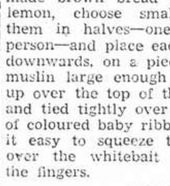

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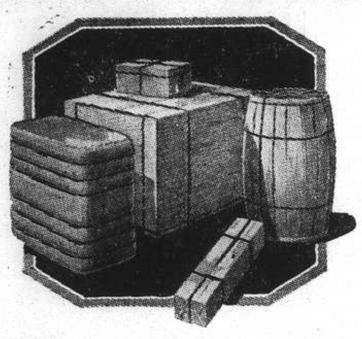

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DEATHS

LOUCKS.—On Saturday, November 19, 1938, at the Country Hospital, Shanghai, Mr. Joseph B. Loucks of the Standard Vacuum Oil Company. Surviving are his wife Mildred Mckoy Loucks and daughter Jane. Funeral services will be held at 4 p.m. today, November 21, 1938, at the parlours of the International Funeral Directors 207 Kiaochow Road. 12477

LOPEZ.—On Sunday, November 20, 1938, at the Shanghai General Hospital, Mrs. Almira Julia Lopez, aged 67 years, the dearly-beloved mother of José and Carlos Lopez (Kobe, Japan) and Mrs. T. P. Baptista. Removed to the parlours of the International Funeral Directors, 207 Kiaochow Road. Requiem Mass will be held tomorrow, Tuesday, November 22, at St. Joseph's Church, Rue Montauban, at 7.30 a.m., to be followed by interment at the Pahsienjao Cemetery at 4 p.m. (Hongkong and Macao papers please copy.)

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JAPAN'S REPLY

After a very long, and apparently unreasonable delay, the Japanese reply to the American Note of October 6 on the subject of discrimination against Americans in China in districts under Japanese control was handed to the U. S. Ambassador in Tokyo on Friday. The American Note, after outlining at length the various complaints which has been made concerning the manner in which trading conditions in China were being developed in a manner detrimental to the interests of U. S. citizens operating in this country, made the following demands :—

1. The discontinuance of discriminatory exchange control and of other measures imposed in areas in China under Japanese control which operate either directly or indirectly to discriminate against American trade and enterprise;
2. The discontinuance of any monopoly or of any preference which would deprive American nationals of the right of undertaking any legitimate trade or industry in China or of any arrangement which might purport to establish in favour of Japanese interests any general superiority of rights with regard to commercial or economic development in any region of China; and
3. The discontinuance of interference by Japanese authorities in China with American property and other rights, including such forms of interference as censorship of American mail and telegrams and restrictions upon residence and travel by Americans and upon American trade and shipping.

Shorn of all its evasive verbiage the Japanese reply amounts to nothing less than a complete refusal to entertain any of the American demands, and, though in the drafting a spirit of sweet reasonableness seems to prevail, an examination of all the facts of the case shows that this gloss is but to hide the deliberate and unconditional rejection which Tokyo has made. The attempt to justify the discrimination by exchange control in North China is weak in the extreme, either on the face of the reply itself, or in the light of the facts as they are known in China at this moment. The exchange control, the formation of the Manchoukuo-China-Japan economic bloc, the refusal to permit American traders in North China to do business unless financed through Japanese banks at rates out of all proportions to the existing exchange conditions is clear and satisfactory proof of the existence of just that type of discrimination of which the United States so pointedly complains.

The Japanese reply to the American complaint, regarding the revision of the Customs Tariff some short while ago, that the schedule is one approved by the Powers in 1931, does not obliterate the fact that its adoption was designed primarily to give Japanese traders special benefits, and it was most certainly not adopted with the idea of in any way easing the burdens of other foreign importers. The most sardonic claim of the whole of those advanced by the Japanese Government for its actions in China is that referring to the establishment of the monopolistic system in those parts of China under the control of its forces. It claims that the North China Development Company and the Central China Development Company were established with a view to giving China the necessary assistance towards restoration, and also with the aim of contributing towards the development of China's natural resources. Fortunately this bland assurance will deceive no one, for the evidence is plain for all men to see that, while Japan has undoubtedly the restoration of China at heart, it desires it only for the exclusive benefit of the Japanese themselves. That the Japanese are bent upon the ruthless exploitation of China in order to recoup the enormous expenditure to which they have been put during the present hostilities is a conclusion which cannot be denied. The only possible justification which the military caste of Japan can give in Japanese eyes for their costly adventure into China is a complete and profitable victory. That the monopoly system is the surest way of securing the profits is believed by the Japanese, and the Government's statement that it does not oppose, but heartily welcomes the participation of the Third Powers on the basis of the new situation which has arisen, merely implies that it will keep China trade to itself, but would welcome financial assistance from other foreign nations for the speedier exploitation which is quite obviously planned. In short Japan wishes to reorient third party activities in China, and while denying them the trading rights of the open door and equal opportunity would willingly welcome financial assistance in dishonouring its own commitments.

This talk of new conditions will in fact convince no one. That there are new conditions will be readily admitted, but these have been brought about by the Japanese breach of the Nine Power Treaty, the sinful foundation upon which it is now designed to erect a new economic structure as equally reprehensible. The Japanese reply on the other points mentioned in the American Note are just as unsatisfactory, and the tone of the whole document is so familiar that it is reminiscent of "the before-named gentleman playing upon the above-mentioned instrument." It is merely an official summing up of the assurances which the Japanese Government or its spokesmen have been repeating *ad nauseam*, and far from placating United States' opinion is likely to have the precisely opposite effect. Obviously any reply which seeks to fob off the just complaints of another nation in the manner which Japan is now seeking to do must be unsatisfactory, and the world will wait with considerable interest to see what steps will be taken next. It is just as obvious that matters cannot be allowed to stand where they are. To do so would be to admit a diplomatic defeat for the acceptance of which there is absolutely no necessity. It is not to be anticipated that developments will follow with any great rapidity. The situation demands that there shall be a continuance of the policy of parallel action which has already been demonstrated to be in effect, and it is likely that much consultation will take place before any new development occurs. The issues involved are not, in view of the Japanese attitude, capable of immediate settlement, but that in the end there will be one, may be taken for granted. If, to use a homely phrase, Japan thinks she can get away with it, she is running the risks of a very serious disappointment. The possibility of effective retaliation should always be kept in mind, and it is even now to be doubted that when wiser counsels prevail in Tokyo, and among the authorities so active in China they will be content with the position Japan is seeking to secure in China if it is to be purchased at the very heavy cost of the loss of advantages elsewhere.

War's Lessons

Commencing on July 24 the Ebro battle in Spain is said now to be concluded with very little result either way. General Franco's forces appear to be no nearer to Valencia than when the engagement opened, though the attempted progress has been held up at enormous cost to the Government's armies. The insurgents claim that they have delivered a shattering blow to the Catalan army, but there is at present nothing to show that the Government has received such hurt that the end of the conflict is in sight. Indeed on the other hand it seems fairly certain that the opponents in Spain are by now committed to another bitter winter campaign, and that the end of the struggle is not to be yet. That is chiefly for the reason that the Republicans are determined to fight to the bitter end, and that the insurgents will consent to no peace upon terms. The Republicans consequently fear that the rebels, should they ultimately succeed, will inflict fearful reprisals upon their opponents who seem to prefer to die in battle than face the firing squad after peace has been assured. That is one of the dreadful features of ideological wars, —the impossibility of effecting reconciliation,— and, as matters stand at the moment, only overwhelming defeat of one side or the other seems likely to bring peace to a sadly afflicted Spain. One interesting feature of the Ebro battle has been the enormous hammering the Government defences have endured at the hands of their enemies. Tons of shells and air bombs were rained upon the intricate system of concrete fortifications erected in the mountainous countryside, in which the Government troops found themselves comparatively safe from bombardments by artillery or from the air, and it was only after a very expensive lesson that the insurgents learned that the most effective weapon against man was man, and that infantry, armed with the bayonet and the hand grenade, could penetrate where artillery and aviation were helpless. From the experience of the last three-and-a-half months it would seem that the huge defence systems which have been and are being erected in Europe have all the impregnable qualities claimed for them. That appears to have been proved by the German experiments on the Czechoslovak fortifications, against which artillery and aeroplanes were sent, without the bombardments doing sufficient to show that these reinforced concrete structures are capable of easy destruction.

What Happens Elsewhere

In view of the denials which have been registered against descriptions of trading on the Yangtze, and the discrimination against third party neutrals, the following account of what is happening with regard to Canton, supplied by Domei, the Japanese news agency, should prove of interest:—

Canton, Nov. 20.

Carrying brief cases instead of guns, 53 members of a "civilian expeditionary force" of business men, bankers and consular employees following closely in the footsteps of Japanese troops arrived here to assist in the reconstruction of Canton.

Included in the party were 43 employees of banks and business concerns, the Canton branches of the Bank of Taiwan, Yokohama Specie Bank, Mitsui Bussan Kaisha and the Taiwan Transport and Express Co.

Headed by Mr. Isotaro Okamoto, vice-chairman of the Japanese Residents' Association, they comprised the second vanguard unit of businessmen to arrive in the city since the Japanese occupation. Ten members of the party were consular employees.

They have taken up their duties in close co-operation with diplomatic and military authorities.—Domei.

In this connection it will be remembered that it has been admitted that here are no fewer than 1,500 Japanese civilians already in the Yangtze basin, who are obviously there for the purpose of reviving Japanese trade in that area as quickly as possible, hoping to have secured a commanding position in the trade before pressure obliges the Japanese to reopen the river.

A Country Diary

November 19.—Walking daily in restricted areas is a soul-destroying business but it has some compensations: it certainly forces upon your notice certain minute details which would otherwise be missed. Take the case of the Grey-headed Buntings as an example....brown and grey little birds which most people mistake for sparrows: they are really very pretty little winter visitors, and may easily be distinguished from sparrows by the pure white tail feathers which show when they make any sudden movement: the male wears a grey helmet and has a touch of pale yellow on his flanks, but the female is really quite sparrow-like in a plain brown and grey costume: and this is what I have noticed on my recent restricted walks. In every little patch of bushes, a few hundred yards apart, there are squeakings and flutterings as a running fight takes place between two male Buntings: odd females are seen here and there, but do not appear to be mixed up in the fighting: where there was peace yesterday, there is fighting today....and as I have taken a sort of census recently in certain areas, I have come to this conclusion. Buntings are birds of distinctly "territorial" habit and keep up this habit *even in winter quarters:* they will tolerate a female in their winter feeding ground, but should another male arrive he must be driven away ....hence the running fights: and here is another interesting point which I have not yet settled: will a male tolerate two or more females in his own little "territory?" I am anxious to get the answer to this question because it has recently been established that a near relative of our bird (the Corn Bunting) is actually polygamous and often has two or more wives whom he feeds and sings to in different but adjacent "territories".....never permitting the two hens to meet. The Bunting is really a most intelligent bird....and I want to know more about him.

IN PARENTHESIS

Free Service

A bootblack who operates in Washington Square gives a week's free service with every shine. Says a good shine ought to last a week with a daily brushing-up.

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Attention S.M.P.

The police of Zagreb, Yugoslavia, require violators of traffic ordinances to pull over to the side of the road and deflate all tires. The number of accidents on the streets of this city has fallen considerably.

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Please Note

Two Chinese coolies were arguing heatedly in the midst of a crowd. When an onlooker expressed surprise that no blows were struck, his Chinese friend said, "The man who strikes first admits that his ideas have given out."

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Strong Stuff

An old townsman states that as he was leaving an official reception not long ago, he found that a glass of champagne had, accidentally or otherwise, been emptied into the rim of his best hat, and notwithstanding that he has had it cleaned and blocked twice since, he insists that whenever he puts on his hat, it goes to his head.

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Acquaintance

A girl got a job in an office. When she was sent to answer the telephone, which she had never used before, she took up the receiver, and on hearing someone at the other end say "Hullo!" she answered back, "Oh, hullo!" and hung up the receiver.

When the manager asked who had telephoned she said: "Just somebody that knows me."

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One and Only

A Church congregation was giving a reception to a former vicar and his wife. The present vicar greeted his predecessor heartily.

"Ah, how pleasant to see you again!" he said. "And is this your most charming wife?"

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It takes to advertise.
We've got the business going,
We'll sit and take the kale.
Why squander cash for printing?
Our income cannot fail."

Things prospered for a season,
And prospects rosy grew.
Then sales began to dwindle;
The Why? Nobody knew.
The boss was fretful, worried,
His face grew pale and drawn.
The business "kept on going"—
Going—now it's gone.

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Senator Soaper Says—

"Backward, turn backward, O time, in your flight," sang the poet, who ought to be here to get a load of Europe in the middle ages.

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With the bars down on dunking, a new freedom comes over table etiquette. Any hour now an O. K. is looked for on wring out the grapefruit into a spoon.

One would want to know more about surgery's triumph in grafting rabbit's eyes into humans. Do they light up at the thought of lettuce?

Through a misprint, New England is listed in a department of commerce bulletin among foreign lands. We trust this is the last of the Maine-Vermont gags.

In Dorchester, Quebec, a man pulled down a six-room house in nine days. Even then it is not clear that he found the sports section of the newspaper.

A writing explorer cites a south sea isle with 50 years of unbroken prosperity. We should have to see the freight car loading figures to believe this.

THE WEATHER

Temperature near Holy Trinity Cathedral Shanghai 24 hours ending 7 p.m.:—

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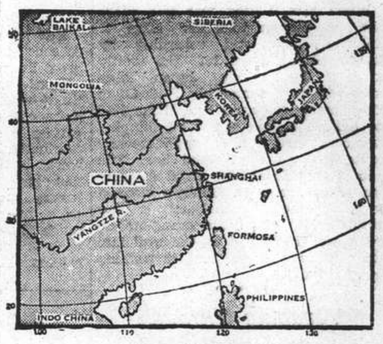
Yesterday	Min.	45.1	Max.	59.9
Same date, 1937	Min.	49.8	Max.	57.0



Siccawei's Report

State on the morning of the 19th:—Anticyclone over the Far East. Variable breezes over northern China; northerly to easterly breezes or winds elsewhere. Fine to cloudy weather in China; overcast at places at sea.

State on the morning of the 20th:—Rather high anticyclone over the Far East.

Probabilities, 4.30 p.m. yesterday:—Rising pressures over the Far East. Fine to cloudy weather over northern and central China. Overcast to cloudy over our regions, in the south and at sea. North-westerly to north-eastely winds moderate in China. Freshening along the Coast and at sea.—Siccawei Observatory.

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

In Memory of Mr. A. L. Anderson

To St. Andrew's Society:—

Dr. and Mrs. A. C. Bryson	$10.00
Dr. E. L. Marsh	$10.00

To St. Vincent de Paul Society:—

A. Clements	$120.00

Paris Talks To Include No-War Statement

French Ministers Work Hard For Declaration From Germany: Efforts Claimed Baulked: Mr. Chamberlain's Peace Programme

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

Paris, Nov. 20.

ONE of the chief topics to be discussed between French Ministers and the British Prime Minister, Mr. Neville Chamberlain, and the British Foreign Secretary, Lord Halifax, when the latter visit Paris this week will be the question of a Franco-German "no war" declaration, according to well-informed circles here. It it felt here that, since the Munich Agreement, Mr. Chamberlain has regarded such a declaration as essential to his plan of all-round European pacification.

It is known that M. Edouard Daladier, the French Premier, and M. Georges Bonnet, the French Foreign Minister, inside the Cabinet, and M. Flandin and others outside have been earnestly working toward such a declaration, but an article in "Le Populaire" alleges that M. Bonnet has been baulked at the last moment because of Berlin's insistence that the French press be partially gagged. "Le Populaire" recalls that two decrees were prepared enabling legal action to be taken against press comment offensive to heads of states.

It was officially announced that such decrees would appear in Le Journal Officiel on November 15, but they were never published. It is assumed that the opposition to the decrees inside and outside the Cabinet was so great that they were temporarily shelved.

Other obstacles delaying a Franco-German "no war" declaration are said to include the recent Radical-Socialist veto on the transfer of Colonies or mandated territories.—Reuter.

Chancelleries Much Engrossed

Paris, Nov. 19.

The chief European chancelleries are now engaged in a delicate task indeed, paving the way to the materialisation of Mr. Chamberlain's general pacification plan, observers here noted today.

They are taking soundings, aiming to determine possibilities of constructive action along that line. They are seeking to materialise a scheme that would serve as the sequel and complement to the Munich Agreement between France, Germany, Great Britain and Italy.

Both Rome and Berlin are ready to respond to Premier Chamberlain's overtures, it is stated here, but a condition of such agreement is the disruption of traditional Franco-British friendship.

Rome, political observers declare, systematically ignores and doubts French goodwill while, at the same time, extending warm receptions to British peace moves. On the other hand, the French Government's efforts towards general appeasement are greatly encouraged by Germany, who frequently makes bitter attacks upon Britain.

Franco-British Relations Safeguarded

This situation will form the main subject at the November 23 Franco-British parleys here, it is understood. The gathered statesmen will then study and try to see clearly whether Mr. Chamberlain's peace plan can be fully endorsed by Paris. Meanwhile, on both sides of the Channel there is an obvious determination to embark upon no action likely to impair steadfast Franco-British understanding.

Mediterranean problems will form the subject of informal parleys between the chief foreign delegations to the funeral rites for the late Turkish President. Kemal Ataturk, and Turkish statesmen on the spot, it is understood today. Ismet Inonu, new President of Turkey, will also participate in these conversations, it is stated.

Observers point out that the future of the Balkan Entente and the balance of power in the Near East, at present troubled by the unrest in Palestine, depend in part upon Turkey's attitude. During the Franco-British parleys here in Paris on November 23, the two countries will try to harmonise their attitudes towards Eastern Mediterranean problems, it is expected.

Possible Settlement in Balkans

King Carol's visits to Britain and now to France are also regarded as elements in a possible settlement of Balkan economic and political questions. The German stand in the matter will have a great effect upon the whole, observers add.

Meanwhile, the new French Ambassador to the Reich M. Robert Coulondre, has arrived in Berlin. And it is believed that the way is now being cleared towards a Franco-German declaration similar to that signed by Mr. Chamberlain and Reichsfuehrer Hitler after the conclusion of the Munich Agreement.

The Anglo-German declaration, it is recalled, voiced both countries' sincere desire never to go to war with each other in the future.—Havas.

On Visit to Paris

London, Nov. 19.

When Lord Halifax leaves for Paris on his visit with Mr. Neville, Chamberlain, he will be accompanied by Sir Alexander Cadogan, Permanent Under-Secretary, for Foreign Affairs, and by Mr. William Strang, Head of the Foreign Office Central European Department.

The Premier himself will be accompanied only by a private secretary.—Havas.

Far East Will Be On Agenda

Formulation of a Common Franco-British Stand on Problems Forecast

London, Nov. 20.

The Far East and the formulation of a common Franco-British stand before its problems, will figure prominently in the agenda of the impending Paris parleys between French and British statesmen, the "Sunday Times" claimed today.

At the same time it adds that Germany's colonial claims are not likely to be discussed because of Premier Edouard Daladier's recent statement that France does not envisage negotiations aiming at the cession of any colonial territories.

Chief subjects to be examined will be the "Sunday Times" adds, strategic and military, naval and aerial problems in the light of the situation arisen out of the Munich Agreement; Italian demands that before the signature of a Franco-Italian accord, Paris should promise not to do anything to compromise a Nationalist victory in Spain.

Policies of economic appeasement throughout the world are also likely to be discussed, this newspaper says.

In conclusion, it asserts, "Responsible quarters in London now frankly admit that the moment is inopportune for the opening of Anglo-German parleys," since the violent anti-Jewish measures taken in the Reich.

Recent international events are lengthily analysed in the "Observer" today in an article by Lord Lothian, well-known in political and Press circles.

In conclusion, he arrives at an interesting decision upon the future of the world's democracies. He claims: "The basic line of security upon which the democracies, should base their diplomacy is intact and it takes in Holland, Belgium, France, Gibraltar, Capetown and the Suez Canal, Singapore, Hawaii, the United States and the Panama Canal:

"If that line is made impregnable, there will be no world war and the influence of the democracies in world politics, after its retreats during the past few years, will be restored and prospects of real appeasement by agreement will be immensely increased."—Havas.

Hendon Engages in Lion Hunt

Animal Loose From Circus Badly Mauls Two

London, Nov. 19.

Two people were injured today in the course of a turbulent lion hunt at Hendon, suburb of London, when a one-year-old menagerie beast escaped from its cage and went on a romp.

Several guards and employees of the travelling menagerie set off in chase of the lion. Several volunteer hunters also followed, but before it could be captured, the lion clawed rather seriously a young newspaper-vendor and a sweeper employed by the menagerie.

The latter did not lose his head, however, and managed to slip a chain round the beast's neck, then leading it back to its cage. Upon examination it was found that he had suffered only minor scratches. While the avid hunters dispersed, the newspaper vendor was given medical treatment. His life is not in danger.—Havas.

Egypt to Introduce Conscription

Bigger Army, Air Force and Navy Nucleus Planned

Cairo, Nov. 20.

An increase in military effectives and the air force, and the creation of a nucleus for a navy and of munitions and aeroplane factories were foreshadowed in a speech yesterday by King Farouk at the opening of Parliament, which was accompanied by traditional pageantry.

The speech promised comprehensive programme of general improvement specially designed to raise the standard of living of workers and the construction of civil airports at Alexandria and Sollum.

A draft law for compulsory military service is included in the programme of the coming session. The bill requires three years with the colours, with two years' remission for students of government schools and the Azhar university.—Reuter.

French War Veterans Sacrifice Pensions

Paris, Nov. 19.

A great number of war veterans are reported to have sent back to the Finance Ministry pension cards as contributions towards the Government's scheme to reduce the Budget deficit.—Havas.

Six U.S. Fliers Dead In Air Crash

Army Bomber is Wrecked In Dense Wood

La Grange, Ga., Nov. 19.

Six members of the crew of eight of an Army Air Force bomber were killed today and one other seriously injured when the bomber crashed into a dense wood near here shortly before midnight. The plane was en route from Mitchell Field to Maxwell Field, Ala.

The plane, evidently attempting to make an emergency landing in the heavy rain, cut a swath through the heavy wooded area and then burst into flames as it came to rest. Three of the men were cremated and three others killed by the crash. Lieut. John D. Madre was seriously burned by the flames.

Wreckage was scattered over nearly an acre of ground.

The body of another member of the crew was found under the wreckage of the plane after the first search had failed to reveal the whereabouts of the eighth member of the crew. Lieutenant Madre is not expected to survive.—United Press.

Queen Maud Of Norway Passes Away

Dies in London Nursing Home After Operation

London, Nov. 20.

Queen Maud of Norway died here this morning. She underwent an abdominal operation a few days ago, and failed to recuperate. She would have been 69 years old next Saturday, November 26.

Death came at an early hour today, following the operation performed on November 16. According to a communique issued by the specialists, their patient's heart stopped beating "without previous warning," and King Haakon of Norway, who had been staying at Buckingham Palace, was unable to get to her bedside in time. The Queen died in her sleep, with only a nurse present.

News of the death was conveyed to King George and Queen Elizabeth, who were spending the week-end with the Queen's brother, Mr. David Bowes-Lyon. Later King George talked with his uncle, King Haakon.

As Queen Maud had been an English Princess, it is possible that she may be buried in this country, but no funeral arrangements have been made yet.

Third Daughter of King Edward VII

Queen Maud was the third daughter of King Edward VII and the youngest sister of King George V of England. She was the first cousin of her husband, Haakon VII, and three years his senior.

She was known as Norway's "Little Queen," for the top of her head came below the shoulder of her tall husband and she weighed only eight stone. They were married when Haakon was Prince Charles of Denmark, second son of the Crown Prince of that country. They were called to the throne of Norway in 1905 when their country divorced itself from the dominion of Sweden.

The court atmosphere in Copenhagen was, at the beginning so hostile to the shy little English Princess that she spent most of her time in her home country. It was

The Late Queen of Norway

even proposed at one time that Charles should renounce his Danish citizenship and become a British subject, but "The Grandfather of Europe," King Christian of Denmark, refused to listen to the plan.

Instead the old king interested himself actively in his grandson's wife, and when a son was born to Maud and Charles, and her father ascended the British throne, the balance of court favour swung to her side. Opposition was completely defeated when Norway summoned Charles to its newly independent throne.

Queen Maud's son, born July 2, 1903, was her only child. The boy was christened Prince Alexander, but when his parents went to Norway and his father revived the kingly name of Haakon, a royal decree changed the son's name to Olaf. The boy was trained as crown prince of Norway and on March 21, 1929, married Princess Martha of Sweden.

Fond of Winter Sports

Queen Maud was noted for a spirit of fun and for her "way" with children. She played with her son through his boyhood days and in the snowy months it was a common sight to see her coasting with the boy on a sled down the slope that led from the winter lodge near Oslo toward the city.

Once she nearly collided with a horse and sleigh plodding up the hill. She barely had time to throw Olaf into the snow and then steer her sled into the ditch to avoid a crash.

Queen Maud also became an adept at the Norwegian national sport of skiing. Neither she nor King Haakon had attempted the sport when they first went to Norway, but while the king learned to manage the skis only at the expense of several head-first plunges into drifts, friends said that they never saw Queen Maud lose her balance.

In the summer the queen liked to go for walks and ride. She rode side-saddle and had a favourite white mount which she used to take with her on her annual visits to England.—Reuter.

Queen's Death Grieves Norway

Oslo, Nov. 20.

Queen Maud's death has caused profound sorrow in Norway, where the news was quite unexpected. Everyone, after the first encouraging reports from London, had hopes that she would survive.

A Cabinet meeting was held this afternoon, and Crown Prince Olaf is leaving for London tonight. Declarations from all quarters stress the sympathy and love in which the Queen was held everywhere.—Reuter.

Norwegians Here Informed

Members of the Norwegian community in Shanghai last night received the news of Queen Maud's death with deep sorrow. At present there are about 150 Norwegians in Shanghai, the colony having dwindled considerably since last year's hostilities. Mr. Otto Kildal is the Acting Consul-General and Chargé d'Affaires, and Mr. H. Berents heads the Norwegian Association.

Long Distance Fliers on Way to Triumph

Wing Commander O. R. Gayford, commander of the three Wellesley bombers which broke the world's long distance flight record, snapped while chatting with Captain F.E. Barrington at Malta, during one of the stops in the journey to Ismailia where the record-breaking flight commenced.

Dr. Goebbels Wants World to Take Jews from Germany

Propaganda Minister Gives Reasons for Expulsion; Washington Discusses Immigration Difficulties

Berlin, Nov. 20.

"WE do not want to export anti-Semitism. All we want to export are Jews. If the whole world were anti-Jewish, we should never get rid of our Jews. We only want the world to be sufficiently pro-Jewish to take all our Jews from our shoulders." This statement was made yesterday by Dr. Joseph Goebbels, Minister of Propaganda, in the course of a speech at Reichenberg, where he opened the Reichstag election campaign in Sudetenland.

"We have expelled Jews from public life," he asserted, "because they are a different race; Marxists, because their capital is Moscow; Catholics, because their capital is Rome; and freemasons, because of internationalism. We have put aside these bacilli of infection. We ask the same right of self-determination as Democracies."

Dr. Goebbels said in conclusion that world excitement would calm down, even about the Jewish question. "At least I hope so," he added, "in the interest of those Jews who remain in the Reich."—Reuter.

Fund Subscribed in Holland

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

Amsterdam, Nov. 20.

A bank guarantee of 1,000,000 guilders has been placed at the disposal of the Netherlands Government by the "Committee for Special Jewish Interest."

This is the first contribution towards the housing and maintaining of German Jewish refugees admitted into Holland. The money was collected from all classes of the population.—Reuter.

Suggested New Home

San Simeon, Calif., Nov. 20.

Use of the former German colonies in Africa, together with Belgian Congo and Angola, to form a new Jewish national state was advocated by Mr. William Randolph Hearst in a broadcast to the entire nation last night.

He suggested that this "magnificent heritage for persecuted Jews" should be a mandate jointly administered by the United States, France and Great Britain. Mr. Hearst added that the colonisation of Jews in Palestine had not proved successful.—Reuter.

New York Crowd Pickets Consulate

New York, Nov. 20.

Carrying black-bordered banners denouncing the treatment of Jews and demanding "Smash the Nazi terror," hundreds of men and women yesterday picketed the German Consulate here.

Forty policemen guarded the Consulate, while 66 more were held in reserve. All were commanded by Jewish police officers selected for the purpose on the order of the Mayor, Mr. F. La Guardia.—Reuter.

Washington, Nov. 19.

In the face of strong indications that there will be considerable opposition from Congressional leaders against relaxation of the United States immigration quotas, the administration's concern over the plight of Nazi refugees has increased in the past few days.

Mr. Louis D. Brandeis, Associate Justice of the United States Supreme Court, held a surprise conference with President Roosevelt for 40 minutes today. Mr. Brandeis made no comment on the subject of their conference, but it is believed they discussed the plight of Jews in Germany. It is recalled that two weeks ago, Mr. Brandeis and President Roosevelt discussed the refugee problem.

Meanwhile, political commentators wondered whether Congress will concur in President Roosevelt's proposal to permit Jewish visitors to remain indefinitely in the United States. Apparently, they pointed out, the chief hope for a solution to the refugee problem lies in the Inter-governmental Committee at London, which grew out of the refugee conference at Evian, summoned by President Roosevelt.—United Press.

Prime Minister Takes Part in Operation

Dr. Huggins Attends South Rhodesia Governor

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

Salisbury, S. Rhodesia, Nov. 20.

The Prime Minister, Dr. G. M. Huggins, officiated yesterday, with another surgeon, at a serious operation on Sir Herbert James Stanley, Governor of Southern Rhodesia.

With his office of Prime Minister, Dr. Huggins combines the role of Southern Rhodesia's leading surgeon. He devotes two hours each morning to his profession, and then leaves his instruments and overall and takes up his governmental duties.

A bulletin states that, although the operation on Sir Herbert Stanley was serious, the Governor's condition is satisfactory.—Reuter.

Ex-Austrian Officials Arrested

Misuse of Charity Funds is Alleged Against Them

Vienna, Nov. 20.

A large number of officials of the former governments under Dr. Schuschnigg and Dr. Dollfuss have been arrested.

They are alleged to have misused charitable funds raised by Drs. Dollfuss and Schuschnigg, amounting to 100,000,000 schillings. It is alleged that they gave a monthly allowance of 20,000 schillings to the Archduke Otto.—Reuter.

Chile to Settle Jewish Refugees

Santiago, Nov. 19.

The Government has completed negotiations for settling Jewish refugees in Chile, it was reported today. At least 300, and possibly 500, families will arrive here before the end of the year from Germany, it is believed.—United Press.

Three-Months Fighting for Ebro Leaves Positions Unchanged

100,000 Men Killed and Wounded in Long Battle; Republicans Claim Victory

Saragossa, Nov. 20.

It can now be established that the 3½-month Ebro battle, which is now definitely over has left the frontiers between the two zones exactly as they were on July 24, when the battle opened, and Spain poorer by 100,000 men killed and wounded.

The Republicans claim a victory because General Franco is no nearer Valencia, but it is a pyrrhic victory, as the Nationalists claim that the Republican losses are twice as great as theirs and that the Catalan army has been dealt a shattering blow.

The battle was remarkable for the intensity of aerial bombardments. For a long period Nationalist planes daily poured hundreds of tons of explosives into the enemy, but the Republicans seamed the mountainous countryside with a phenomenal system of concrete fortifications which, in effect, were first-class air raid shelters, in which the Republicans found themselves comparatively safe against artillery or air bombardments.

The Nationalists, at a cost of thousands of tons of explosives, also learned this lesson and finally came to the conclusion that the most effective weapon against man was man and that infantry, armed with bayonets and grenades, could penetrate where artillery and aviation were helpless.

General Franco, accordingly, grouped his most daring infantry into a new army corps under his youngest and most brilliant general.

The subsequent fighting was reduced to desperate hand-to-hand combat with little artillery or aerial assistance.—Reuter.

Mystery of Canton Deepens

Chinese Reported 3 Miles From City; Japanese Deny Retreat From Samshui

Chungking, Nov. 20.

Although reports of the recapture of Canton by Chinese troops spread here yesterday has proved to be false, Chinese quarters continue to claim the situation to be favourable. Reports from the front declare that Chinese forces are within three miles of Canton and now engaged in severe hand-to-hand fighting with the Japanese.

Strong Chinese forces, it is stated, are unceasingly on their way to Canton but the fact is not concealed that every single day's delay in the advance on the South China town increases the difficulties for the Chinese since Japanese reinforcements are meanwhile pouring into the city and its environs.—Trans-Ocean.

No Signs of Chinese Activity

Japanese Army and Navy spokesmen in Shanghai yesterday again emphatically denied that Japanese forces had withdrawn towards Canton from Samshui, important railhead west of the City of Rams. Press dispatches from Hongkong alleged on Saturday that unnamed "Japanese sources" in the British colony had admitted the Japanese evacuation of Samshui.

According to aerial observations made on Saturday, a naval spokesman said there were no signs of Chinese military activity near Samshui. On the previous day, he claimed, a combined Army and Navy force had put to flight about 300 Chinese from Makow, a town "a little above Samshui." Naval aircraft had co-operated in this operation. The engagement was described by the spokesman as minor. "We have grounds to believe that this Japanese success near Samshui was distorted into a Chinese victory," he declared.

Japanese naval aircraft, he continued, engaged in bombing operations north-east and north-west of Canton, both in Kwangtung and Kwangsi. Attacked were barracks near Hohsien, in eastern Kwangsi, and military establishments at Lienchow and Yungyun in Kwangtung.

Japanese Advance Held Up

Chungking, Nov. 20.

The Japanese advance in North Kiangsi is at present held up on the north bank of the Hsiu river, while the Japanese forces on the Hupeh-Hunan highway are being engaged by Chinese troops in the vicinity of Chiuling, north of the Mofushan mountain ranges, according to a despatch from General Chen Chen, who is in charge of operations on the south bank of the Yangtze.

The Japanese troops pushing southward along the Canton-Hankow Railway, he adds, are being engaged by the Chinese in the mountains south of Yochow, in the vicinity of Matang. Chinese mobile columns in the Japanese rear, the General claims, have recaptured Tsungyang, where the Hunan-Hupeh highways approaches the Canton-Hankow Railway.

Wide powers have been given to various war area commanders in order to enable them to take swift and independent action in accordance with the Chinese Government's new mobile warfare tactics, according to Chinese press reports.—Reuter.

Attack on Northwest Predicted

Chungking, Nov. 20.

Well-informed observers here predict an early attempt by the Japanese forces to invade the Northwest Provinces, probably advancing towards Sian, the capital of Shensi, and strategic railway, highway and airway centre.

Japanese artillery in southern Shansi, on the north bank of the Yellow River bend, have been daily shelling Tungkwan, which is an important pass on the south bank of the river and generally considered the gateway to China's Northwest. It is estimated that the Japanese are firing an average of 400 shells a day there.

In the meantime, their aircraft have been subjecting Sian to most severe bombing. At present the Chinese authorities there are evacuating the civilian population and also making military preparations in anticipation of hostilities in that area.—Reuter.

Former Jewish Adviser To Kaiser Dies

Berlin, Nov. 19.

Herr Paul von Schwabach, 71-year-old Jewish banker and former adviser of Kaiser Wilhelm, died today in the neighbourhood of Kerzendrof, it was learned. His death was due to natural causes, it was said.—United Press.

U.S. Urged to Rush Navy Plan

Secretary of Navy Outlines Nation's Need to Meet Conditions; Warship Contracts Awarded

Washington, Nov. 19.

MR. Claude A. Swanson, Secretary of the Navy, in his report to President Roosevelt today recommended that the United States naval expansion programme be pushed to rapid completion in view of "the present disturbed international conditions." Mr. Swanson reported that the combat units of the United States navy prepared for instant action are at least equal in fighting ability to any major power of the world. He warned the President, however, that the United States has a serious deficiency of auxiliary craft.

Pointing out that present funds are insufficient to man the fleet in a state of preparedness to meet any emergency, Mr. Swanson said that conditions must be remedied soon in order to ensure the country's safety.

The report also pointed out the American shortage of shore facilities and bases for the fleet, and as a result it is impossible to accurately estimate the Air Force's defensive value.

In this connection, it is reported that President Roosevelt plans to ask Congress for a record peace-time naval appropriation of U.S.$1,000,000,000 to continue construction of new ships, improve shore stations, begin construction of new shore stations and expand the Air Force toward a minimum of 3,000 first-line planes.

Prepared For War

"The fleet is prepared to execute on short notice war at a distance from the coasts and to end the war by defeating the enemy's navy," Mr. Swanson's report declared.

"The status of auxiliaries is only slightly improved. Nearly all are slow and over-age, and replacements will not be immediately available from the merchant marine in time of war due to the fact that special construction and facilities are necessary to convert them to naval use," the report added.

Mr. Swanson reported that present appropriations for enlisted personnel is sufficient "to make allowances for adequate peacetime training in the operation of individual ships; however, the appropriations are insufficient to provide speed and efficient mobilization.

Aviation Development

"It is highly important, especially in view of the present disturbed international conditions that appropriations should provide sufficient men to furnish 100 per cent. allowances for all commissioned vessels in order that the Navy as a whole may be immediately available in any emergency," the report said.

Mr. Swanson pointed out on his report that aviation is advancing rapidly in the development of aircraft and increased performance. Fleet demands are also constantly being broadened and more inclusive roles prepared for aircraft.

"Meeting these demands has resulted in assigning greater precedence to aircraft development than the correlated requirements such as supporting tenders and shore stations until construction of the latter has lagged far behind the deliveries of aircraft," the report declared.

Mr. Swanson's report said that the United States, Great Britain and France have continued to exchange information concerning their new warships, "thereby preserving the principle of co-operative effort toward international naval agreements."

The report said that the United States at present has 70 warships including two under construction. The report said the navy has funds for 30 additional ships not yet under construction, including four battleships.—United Press.

Future Battleships

Washington, Nov. 20.

Mr. Swanson adds that "recommendations will be made in the coming year as to the tonnage of our future battleships which will best meet the needs of national security."

The present number of men enlisted in the Navy is 105,000, which has permitted an average allowance for all ships of only 85.3 per cent.

In the fiscal 12 months, the Navy has operated 347 vessels of all types. Twenty-seven new craft, including five light-cruisers and twelve destroyers, have been commissioned, while seventy are actually under construction.

On June 30, Mr. Swanson asserts, 100 vessels were being built or for which appropriations had been made—a greater number than any other Power, although Great Britain's 98 ships are larger. On the same date, the Navy had 1,390 first-line warplanes, 115 obsolescent machines, and 642 under order—an increase of 205 on hand or under construction within a year.

Battleship Contracts Awarded

The Navy Department has awarded contracts for the construction of three battleships expected to cost over $150,000,000. The contract for a fourth battleship has been held up pending a further study of the bids received.

The contracts awarded are for ships of 35,000 tons. When they are completed, the United States will have five vessels of this size, as two are already under construction.

Officials state that armament and ammunition outlays, not included in the cost of construction, would raise the total expenditure on the three new battleships to $225,000,000. They will not be ready for five years.

Mr. Snyder, Chairman of the Military Appropriations sub-committee of Congress, declared today, after conferring with officials of the War Department, that President Roosevelt's expanded programme of national defence would give the United States the strongest air force in the world by 1942.—Reuter.

Italian Ambassador Awaited in Paris

Paris, Nov. 19.

Signor Raffael Guariglia, new Italian Ambassador, is due to arrive here tomorrow morning, it was stated tonight.

Meanwhile, the Foreign Minister M. Georges Bonnet received today the German Ambassador, Baron Johannes von Welczeck. The latter expressed his Government's gratitude for the arrangements made in France for the transportation of the late Ernst von Rath's remains to the border and across to Dusseldorf.—Havas.

U.S. to Embark on New Policies

Stronger Attitude to Be Adopted: Nation Will Talk "Language of Dictators"

New York, Nov. 20.

The United States is about to embark on new international and home policies of historic importance, in the opinion of some of the nation's most prominent industrial leaders, according to the Associated Press. These leaders, the agency adds, claim knowledge of the Administration's current plans.

In the place of "sweet reason," one industrialist is reported to have said, the United States will henceforth "talk the language of dictators, I understand."

Industrialists visualise the Government's future programme as:

1. An army, navy and air force which "could stand off the world."
2. An international diplomatic drive "to put starch into the Democracies" in order to block further totalitarian encroachments.
3. A swift drive to end unemployment, labour strife and economic troubles in the United States.

Industrialists, however, express the opinion that the United States is always willing to play the leading role in disarmament when other nations are ready for it.—Reuter.

Policy Orientation Urged

Washington, Nov. 20.

A new vigorous orientation of the foreign policy of the United States is being urged upon President Roosevelt by certain Leftist advisers.

The proposals being put forward include:

1. The President should consider economic retaliation not only against Germany but against Japan, whose reply to the American Note of October 6 is regarded as slamming the Open Door in China.
2. The President should restore sovereign rights to the Barcelona Government.
3. The President should make a complimentary gesture towards Catholicism by establishing diplomatic relations with the Vatican.

Whether President Roosevelt leans towards these counsels, which are designed to give him unquestioned leadership among the Democracies of the world, cannot at present be ascertained.

It would not be fair to label the individuals responsible for such advice, but the President's most liberal advisers are known to be members of the State Department, Mr. Harold Ickes, Secretary of the Interior, Mr. Harry L. Hopkins, Federal Emergency Relief Administration, Mr. Adolf Berle, formerly a member of the Brain Trust, and the young lawyers, Messrs. Corcoran and Cohen, who help to draft the Presidential policy.—Reuter.

Italy and the London Navy Treaty

Instrument of Accession Awaited in London

London, Nov. 20.

Italy's instrument of accession to the London Naval Treaty is expected to reach London shortly. A procès-verbal will then be circulated for signature to states signatory to the Treaty, and the provisions of the treaty for an exchange of information in regard to projected naval programmes will come into effect.

It will be recalled that the treaty limit of 35,000 tons for battleship construction was raised to 45,000 tons in the escalation discussions following upon the withdrawal of Japan. Britain, however, announced that, provided no other European power built beyond 40,000 tons, she would confine her battleship construction within that limit.

France made it known that, while agreeing to escalation, she had no desire to build beyond the treaty limit of 35,000 tons provided no other European or continental power did so.—Wireless through Reuter.

Berlin Banquet Given Mr. Pirow

South African Minister of Defence Entertained

Berlin, Nov. 20.

With the programme for the visit to Germany of the South African Minister for Industry and Defence, Mr. Oswald Pirow and his wife, a banquet was given last night at the South African Legation in Berlin by Minister Dr. S.F.N. Gie.

From the German side, the Reich's Minister of Economics Dr. Walther Funk, General Keithel, chief of the Supreme Command of the Reich armed forces and wife, General Milch of the German Air Ministry and wife, Dr. Woermann of the German Foreign Office, Reich Minister Dr. Lammers and wife, Chief of Protocol von Doernberg and wife, ex-Secretary of State von Lindequist, Mr. and Mrs. Woermann of the German-Afric Steamship Line, Director Kopperberg of the Junkers Works and Dr. and Mrs. Merenski were present.—Trans-Ocean.

Memel German Youth To Organize

Kaunas, Nov. 20

The organization of German youth, on the lines of the youth movement in Germany, and the establishment of a special Memel German youth service were announced by Dr. Neumann, leader of Memel Germans, in opening the Memel electoral campaign yesterday.

Dr. Neumann for the first time revealed anti-Semitic sympathies when he declared that he would follow the German racial policy in Memel territory.—Reuter.

2,000 Dead in Changsha Fire

Chinese Government Provides Money for Relief; Communist Leader Has Narrow Escape

Chungking, Nov. 20.

TWO thousand persons perished in the five-day conflagration which practically razed Changsha last week, according to semi-official reports received here. The Chinese Government is said to have appropriated $500,000 for the relief of the homeless in the Hunan capital, whither police and gendarmes have returned to maintain order. Over 70 men and women workers belonging to the Political Department of the Hunan war area are also reported to have reached Changsha under orders from General Chen Chen, who is directing operations on the south bank of the Yangtze, in order to supervise the burial of the dead.

A temporary market place, Chinese reports state, has been opened in Changsha, with three meat and two vegetable stalls.

The famous Chinese Communist leader, Chow En-lai, who was at first thought to have perished in the fire, is now said to be safe in Changsha. He fled when flames entered the windows of his bed-room. As soon as he heard about the fire in Changsha while directing operations at the front, General Chen Chen is reported to have instructed a certain army corps commander to act concurrently as Changsha garrison commander to maintain peace and order and to restore communications.—Reuter.

Japanese Bomb Sian

Sian, Nov. 19.

The population is becoming terror-stricken as result of two days of intensive bombing. Forty civilians were killed by bombs and ten were buried alive.

Thousands are fleeing from the city in all kinds of conveyances, and the usually crowded streets are deserted. The Provincial Government has the situation in hand, and there is no chaos.

On November 15, 26 Japanese aeroplanes visited here, and circling the city twice, bombed the west suburb, without doing any damage. It is reported that leaflets were dropped, admonishing the people to discontinue their warfare against Japan and to disobey Chiang Kai-shek by sueing for peace.

On the next day 13 bombers arrived at 11 a.m. and circled the city several times. They bombed in the neighbourhood of the railway station near the Chungchen Gate. The station platforms and a large warehouse were hit several times by bombs, and six empty cars were burned.

More than 40 persons were killed outright, when about 10,000 refugees sheltering in that area ran for shelter in flimsy dugouts and crude trenches.

The bombs falling nearby caused the collapse of some of the structures, and 10 people were buried alive. They were discovered several hours later. The casualties are all civilians.

The Japanese radio report on November 16 that they bombed the Sian "headquarters of the Communists" provoked amusement and scorn, as it is well known here that the headquarters is far away.—Reuter.

New Kwangtung Capital Bombed

Canton, Nov. 20.

Japanese aeroplanes this morning bombed Linhsien, the new capital of Kwangtung Province and the headquarters of General Wu Teh-chen, according to reliable Chinese reports.

Although casualties are unascertainable, it is added that one bomb struck the Linhsien Middle School, and another demolished an ancient temple. Three bombs narrowly missed the Pingmen Hospital.—Reuter.

Choral Society Gives First Concert

Appears with Orchestra at Lyceum Theatre

The Choral Society, accompanied by the Municipal Orchestra, gave its first concert of the season at the Lyceum Theatre yesterday evening with mixed results. This rather unhappy state of affairs can undoubtedly be ascribed to an unsuitable choice of programme and the lack of comprehensive rehearsing. The policy of musical snippets is at no time one wholly to be recommended, but in the case of the Shanghai Choral Society with its obvious limited means for learning and rehearsing, hybrid programmes composed of incongrous elements are surely to be resolutely avoided. By reason of inconsistency alone they impose difficulties which may disconcert both performer and audience.

Thus it is submitted that the inclusion in the programme of "selections" from two widely separated works as Beethoven's "Ruins of Athens" and Parry's "Ode on St Cecilia's Day" was most inept, demonstrating if nothing else, by comparison, that Beethoven at times can be a tiresome bore. It is amazing that his work, with its stolid repetitiveness and its musical commonplaces which seldom wander beyond the realms of the tonic and dominant, should be numbered Opus 118. Purcell did better in 1689.

Parry's work, or what we heard of it, provided a singular contrast. His choral music is the natural outcome of a fashion which had existed for centuries before as the most important phase of music in the country. But Parry was no leisured imitator: his works combine the highest in technical means, and though at times his music and orchestration cannot command the highest respect, they may be favourably compared with much that had gone before.

Of the rest of the vocal music on the programme, one need say but little. The calorific value of Mascagni's "Hymn to the Sun" does full justice to the context, and the two pages of Bach made one wish for more—of a superior quality.

Consistency, Not Variety

When the forgoing remarks are suitably evaporated (a process some will no doubt heartily agree to) the residuum may be taken to indicate that consistency, in programme building, is to be aimed at rather than variety. In a word, Parry's complete "St Cecilia" together with the shorter "Blest Pair of Sirens" (in fine eight part harmony throughout) would have met the case splendidly.

Turning to aspects of performance, before we clear the decks for action, it must be recorded that the evening produced some fine singing but the fact that that quality was intermittent offers no other apparent explanation than insufficient care was taken in the formative stages, not only in the mass, but in the individual. After all, it is the unit which matters in choral work, though deviation in the individual may be partly, or even completely, masked in the whole. However, this results in a definite deterioration of quality in the aggregate. It is on these lines that the Choral Society should apply themselves. As regards the departments, the sopranos had a hard time in singing in the middle of any note higher than F, which might have been due to forcing through lack of numbers. The men's tone required more power and resolution.

The Soloists

Apart from the tuneful and brilliantly-sung "Hymn to the Sun" by far the best work was done in Parry. Mr. Bouchard, the soloist, has a voice of quality though perhaps lacking in volume, and he went down more than once under an incidental accompaniment which should have been better under control. The last chorus of "St Cecilia" contained some fine stuff, both in music and reproduction. There were also moments of good singing in "The Ruins of Beethoven" though in view of thematic aridity, the added difficulties will be appreciated. Mr. L. C. Perry sang the solo recitative. This singer has undoubted possibilities but he should be persuaded to apply the verdict of the ear a little more to the sounds produced by his voice and to eliminate the tendency to aspirate vowels in words set to multiple notes.

One is not able to say very much about the Bach 'paraphrase' since very little singing penetrated the exuberance of the orchestra.

The Orchestra played the 'Unfinished' of Schubert in an unconvincing manner: one might almost say reluctantly. Tempo lagged in the first movement and what is the Unfinished without warmth of string tone—especially in the celli? The Orchestra has played many a better version of this work.—H.

Vaccination Required for Travel in N. China

Shanghailanders should be sure to obtain vaccination certificates before they go north on business or pleasure trips, local Japanese newspapers warned yesterday.

Travellers to North China are required to have medical certificates proving that they have been vaccinated against smallpox before they can obtain a steamship ticket.

Indian Medical Unit Expected in Chungking

Chungking, Nov. 20.

The Indian medical unit, to which are attached five Indian doctors, is expected to arrive in Chungking today by steamer from Ichang, where they stayed after evacuating from Hankow.—Reuter.

Japanese Training Ships Here Today

Cadets to Make Tour of Local Battlefields

Future Admirals of Japan will be given a first-hand glimpse of the Shanghai and Nanking war areas when 321 cadets of the Japanese naval training squadron arrive here this afternoon on board the veteran cruisers, Iwate and Yakumo, a Japanese naval spokesman announced yesterday.

Flying the flag of Vice-Admiral Umataro Tanimoto, who commanded a Japanese fleet last August at the start of the hostilities in Shanghai, the squadron will make port at 3.30 o'clock.

The cadets, of whom 220 are from the Naval Academy, 76 from the Naval Engineering School and 25 from the Naval Paymaster's School, will leave on a tour of the battle areas starting tomorrow. Officers and cadets will meet newspaper representatives aboard one of the ships at 4.15 o'clock following the exchange of official courtesies.

Vice-Admiral Tanimoto will be the guest of honour Thursday at a banquet at the Astor House Hotel. The commandant will be host at a reception on board the flagship, Iwate prior to leaving for Formosa at 3 o'clock on Friday afternoon.

China Fighting Helps Moroccan Trade

Frozen Egg Shipments to France Being Made

Casablanca,
French Morocco, Nov. 20.

A new trade in frozen eggs for French pastrycooks has developed here as a result of the Sino-Japanese hostilities.

This year 500 tons of frozen eggs have been supplied by a Casablanca refrigerating company to French firms which previously obtained their stocks from Shanghai and Nanking. Employment is given directly to more than 100 persons and an important outlet has been provided for Moroccan poultry farmers.

When the Sino-Japanese hostilities began, Parisian pastry and biscuit firms were at a loss to know where to obtain the frozen eggs hitherto imported exclusively from China during the season when French hens were not laying.

It was found that Moroccan eggs answered the requirements of the trade—a special size of egg is needed—and refrigerating arrangements were hastily improvised in Casablanca. Organization of the industry has now been perfected.—Reuter.

Bridge War Scenes Re-enacted

Pigs Lead 600 "Extras" In Japanese Version of Last Year's Exodus

Residents of Broadway Mansions were rudely roused from sleep early yesterday morning when 600 Chinese "extras" who had been engaged by the Toho Motion Picture Company to re-enact the rush over the Garden Bridge that took place on August 14, 1937 as hostilities first got under way here, began to mass in front of the Soviet Consulate General and Broadway Mansions.

Although, according to programme, the filming should have actually commenced at 7 o'clock, the poor light caused a delay of over one hour before the crowd of men, women and children "dashed" across the Garden Bridge to the supposed safety of the Central district, which, according to the script, was in the hands of the Japanese Naval Landing Party. For this purpose, all those taking part yesterday, wore red badges with large numbers which they had pinned to the summer-garments that they were required to wear. Some 600 shivering "extras" patiently went through the scene three times before the director in charge of the production was satisfied.

Pigs in the Lead

In all three attempts, pink and black pigs preceded the stampede while one of the extras who evidently felt rather cold, was seen wearing a heavy overcoat over his light summer clothes while he was pushing his bicycle over the bridge. He did however comply with the director's wishes of remaining barefooted and thus made a rather amusing sight in the first two "shootings" until a member of the technical staff, in charge of filming the dash to safety, advised him that he would have to take off his coat or else call for his pay-cheque. Reluctantly the man complied. Rickshaws and wheelbarrows were heavily laden with large bundles of straw matting which was to represent the bedding carried by the "refugees' whilst even fake coffins were carried by a number of coolies. Rickshaws used during yesterday's "shootings" were of the type now used in the Japanese controlled part of the International Settlement and therefore bore Nippon licence plates. On the south side of the bridge, a number of Police officers had been posted to make sure that neither the "extras" nor the vehicles without valid licenses would actually come into the Central district. The scenes were being filmed by some 10 cameramen from all possible angles including the roof of Broadway Mansions. The most realistic part of the whole enactment was the noise made by the "refugees" although no sound-equipment to record it, was seen in the vicinity.

A Dangerous Job

Yesterday's scenes were being filmed according to the script of the Toho Motion Picture Company's production "The Japanese Naval Landing Party" which has as its aim to give Japanese cinema fans an account of the "actual" happenings during the troubled days of last year.

When on November 15, some of the remaining structures of the Commercial Press buildings on Paoshing Road were blasted for the benefit of the Motion Picture Company, one member of the technical staff came too near the scene and was seriously injured by flying debris. He was rushed to a local hospital.

Work on the present production is expected to be completed by the end of the year at which time a new film despicting the falls of Nanking and Hankow will be in production.

As is usual, the love-interest will also come in for its share in the present film although the main feature of the production will be the actual Japanese victory in Shanghai. The stars who are playing the leading roles in "The Japanese Naval Landing Party" arrived here a few weeks ago and have been busy ever since.

Fourth Marines' Church

The large congregation that filled the Metropol Theatre yesterday morning for the Fourth Marines' church service and concert was amply rewarded with one of the finest programmes ever presented by the American Regiment. In the church service, Chaplain R. R. Marken of the Fourth Marines delivered a forceful message in his sermon on "Bands That Bind." An added feature in the worship was a Trumpet Trio, "Fond Hearts" by King, rendered by Staff Sergeant Stuart, Corporal Lee and Private Hooker. Selections played by the band included the prelude "Into The Dawn With You" by Lee and Gilder's beautiful "Norwegian Slumber Song" for the Offertory. The singing of the hymns was led by Sergeant Sheehan, with music by the band.

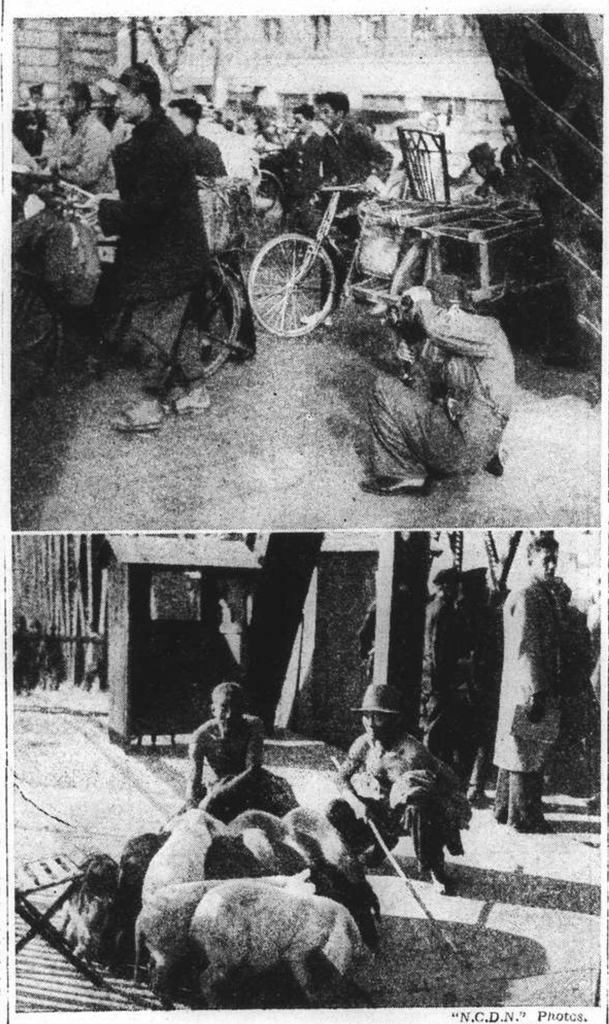
The concert artist was Staff Sergeant William R. Stuart, noted instrumentalist of the Marine Band, who rendered two difficult cornet solos with band accompaniment, "My Heart At Thy Sweet Voice" by Saint-Saens from "Samson and Delilah" and the lovely "Somewhere A Voice Is Calling" by Tate. The excellent renditions were warmly received by the appreciative audience. The concert programme opened with the Fourth Marines' Band, under the able direction of Bandmaster Levis E. Giffin, playing Dessane's well known overture "Mercedes." The band also played the enchanting suite "Caucasian Sketches" by Iwanow and concluded the programme with the Marines' Hymn and the American National Anthem.

Japanese War Booty on Display in Tokyo

Tokyo, Nov. 20.

In observance of the first anniversary of the Imperial General Headquarters today, military equipments captured on the China fronts were placed on display in the compounds of the Army General Staff building at Miyakezaka.

Among the exhibits viewed by an endless stream of spectators throughout the day were an eight-inch calibre fort battery from the Kiangyin forts, a heavy field artillery piece and an anti-aircraft gun. The celebration was limited to an official party which dispensed with "sake" as an economy measure.—Domei.



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Scenes of Early Hostilities Screened

An attempt was made yesterday morning to reproduce the scenes of the amazing refugee dash for safety over Garden Bridge at the beginning of the hostilities when a Japanese cinema company went into action at the bridge with hundreds of extras. These pictures show one of the cameramen at work with, below, a few pigs which were introduced into the rush to give more realism.

In the Russian Colony

By "Smoy"

In the cradle, before the marriage altar and on the threshold of eternity, the Russian colony is every in the shadow of the Russian Church. Strong ties have always existed between a Russian and his church, and it is under its patronage and with the participation of its representatives that the most important events in his life happen.

According to the Central Clerical Administration—and the registration of births, deaths and marriages yield statistics that are fairly accurate—there are about 15,000 Russians of the Orthodox faith living in Shanghai. In addition, of course, there are Russian Mohammedans, Catholics, Protestants and Jews, as well as people holding themselves aloof from religion.

Baptisms Declining

The number of baptisms registered in the colony, however, is steadily decreasing. This does not necessarily mean that the birth-rate among local Russians is falling—it means that the children of mixed marriages do not always remain in the fold of the Orthodox church. Russian women marrying foreigners often agree to have their children baptized in a different faith, while, on the other hand, the foreign father sometimes assents to have the daughter adopt the same faith as the mother so long as the son grows up in his religious beliefs. But if the number of baptisms registered by the Orthodox Church only are taken into account, then it follows that the birthrate is gradually falling. In 1934, 44 male and 52 female births were registered, in 1937 the numbers have been 48 for boys and 31 for girls, while during the first eight months of the current year 32 boys and 26 girls have been baptized. As will be noticed, more boys than girls are being born, which according to traditional Russian beliefs always precedes a stormy war.

Marriage statistics are more exact. In 1928 only 57 marriages were registered. In 1929 the number rose to 76, in 1932 to 112, in 1933 to 134. In 1934 the number slipped down to 133, in 1935 to 113, in 1936 to 92. The year 1938 promises a large figure, as during the first half year 77 marriages were already registered—33 more than for the corresponding period in 1937. The rapid increase in the number of marriages after 1930 is due to the influx of Russians from Harbin, most of them people of means. There are, of course, many Russian couples who are satisfied with registering their names in the Chinese court.

Marriage Costs

It is interesting to note the cost of marrying in the colony. Not counting the rings, the ornate white bridal gown and other similar expenses, the marriage may cost anywhere from $10 to $100. The priest is paid from $5 to $10 only, but the choir costs from $20 to $40, and $5 or $10 are taken for the lighting of the church.

What is the mortality in the colony? As against the 85 men and 53 women who died in 1934, 103 men and 68 women have died in 1937, most succumbing between the ages of 40 and 50 either to tuberculosis, heart-trouble or stomach illness. Infantile mortality is proportionately small. Not all deaths, of course, find their way into the registration columns. Beggars and indigents are often picked up by the police and given a public burial, and now and then friendless Russians dying in foreign or Chinese hospitals are buried before the Church can register their passing.

Last Friday Russian graduates of the former Naval Cadets' Corps and Academy celebrated another anniversary since the founding of that renowned school. A religious meeting to the memory of Saint Paul was held in the St. Nicholas' Church, with prayers being offered for all naval officers who died "for the Faith, the Tsar and the Mother-Country." At 8 o'clock in the evening a sumptuous banquet was held in the Ex-Officers' Club, attended not only by naval officers but also by officers of the Imperial Army.

Mr. Alexander Safronoff, who while in Shanghai gave frequent exhibitions of his drawings on Chinese themes and drew stage-scenery for the Russian Theatre, Ballet and Light Opera, has for the last two years worked in Colombo. Mr. Safronoff is delighted with life there and is not planning to return to Shanghai. His wife, Ballerina Tamara Gruzinskaia, who will be remembered here for her frequent local appearances, is in Colombo as well. Recently she has accepted an offer from the "Silver-Green Hotel" in Rangoon. Planning to later travel to Madras, Mme Gruzinskaia will appear in Bombay during the Christmas season.

Saigon Popular

Among Russians who opine that with the changed conditions in this city it would be advisable for them to seek their fortunes in other places than the countries of South America or the generally longed for Australia, the name "Saigon" is finding ever increasing mention. Many people well-known in Harbin and Shanghai are living there already. Not long ago Mr. B. V. Ostroumoff, former manager-in-chief of the Chinese Eastern Railway, took up his residence in that city, and today is flooded with letters from his former co-workers suggesting that they be of service to him. Young Russian engineers are especially eager to go to Saigon, reasoning that large-scale construction will soon be under way in Indo-China.

Russian Club

Mr. M. A. Moshkin, chairman of the Board of Directors of the Russian Club, has stated that during the current year the affairs of the Club are steadily improving. The number of members is approaching the 200 mark, and last Tuesday, when the doors of the club were thrown open to guests as well as to the families of members, the club's hall was not large enough to accommodate all those who came to enjoy the programme and to dance. Nightly, from 8 p.m. to 1 a.m. an orchestra plays in the Club, starting with classical music and switching to dance-tunes. On Thursday only members are allowed, this to promote stronger club-spirit. The theatrical sub-committee is under the direction of Mrs. T. N. Blinova, while the sporting side is managed by Mr. E. M. Buianover. Football and volleyball teams have aready been formed, and the Club's library augmented by many books.

The monthly meeting of the Russian Medical Society was held in the Hospital of the Russian Orthodox Confraternity on November 18. Dr. A. V. Tarle gave some practical demonstration with a patient, and Dr. A. S. Pomuss read a paper, while the last portion of the meeting was devoted to a discussion on the means of combatting advertisements of quack preparations.

Savoy Grenadiers Leave Next Week

Marines from Tientsin Will Take Charge of Italian Sector

Some 800 officers and men of the 1st Battalion, 10th Regiment of the Savoy Grenadiers, who arrived in Shanghai last year, are leaving aboard the ss. Conte Verde on November 28, the "North-China Daily News" learnt yesterday.

Nothing is known as yet as to their destination although it is presumed that they will first go to Italy. The Regiment left the mother country in 1936 for active duty in Abyssinia and, according to a high officer questioned yesterday, it was more than likely that the men would first be given the opportunity to see their families prior to returning to Abyssinia. No definite orders have as yet been received in Shanghai, however.

Meanwhile, approximately 200 officers and men from the Compagnia San Marco, who are at present stationed in Tientsin, are expected here either tomorrow or Wednesday to take over temporarily the Italian defence sector in Shanghai. They in turn will leave for home on the ss. Conte Biancamano in December. On the other hand, reinforcements are arriving here both on the Conte Verde and the Conte Biancamano and, whilst nothing could be learned yesterday as to their approximate strength, it is believed that a sufficient number of men will arrive on the two steamers to bring both the Tientsin and the local garrisons up to the required strength.

It was believed, however, by the officer interviewed yesterday, that the local garrison which will thus be handed over by the Army to the Marines, will not be nearly as strong as it has been hitherto.

The Compagnia San Marco, which is taking over the Italian sector on Monday next, is not a newcomer to Shanghai, having been stationed here during the 1932 hostilities and for about a year afterwards.

Naval Changes

Changes in the personnel of the Italian gunboats Lepanto and Carlotto are also scheduled to take place in the next few days. Some 140 men who have terminated their turn of duty in the Far East, are expected to leave within the next ten days while the same number of sailors are due here on the Conte Verde to take their places. Meanwhile the 45 departing members of the crew of the Lepanto, held a farewell dinner last night at the Frascati Restaurant on Avenue Edward VII.

The Grenadiers of Savoy arrived here on September 14 of last year and took up duty in the defence sector allotted to them, on the following day. During the following month, one of the Grenadiers was killed by a large-calibre anti-aircraft bullet which hit him in the chest whilst he was on duty at an Italian outpost on Ferry Road, on October 27, 1937. The name of the victim was Padula Antonio di Giuseppe. He was killed on nearly the same spot where a few weeks previously one Chinese was killed and another seriously injured when they attempted to cross the Creek and ignored the Italian sentry's order to stop.

New German Loan to Be Floated

Berlin, Nov. 20.

It is officially announced that a new Reich loan of 1,500,000,000 marks, bearing interest at 4½ per cent. will be floated. The reason for the new issue is given as the "liquidity of the capital market."—Reuter.

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Chinese Constable Still Being Hunted Here

Policeman Who Shot Two Others Eludes Capture

Chinese Police Constable 774 of the Shanghai Municipal Police, who ran amok on Saturday evening and shot two other Chinese with his service pistol, was still at large yesterday despite a city-wide search for him.

The policeman was in uniform when he left the West Hongkew Station and started on a tour which resulted in the wounding of a man in Boone Road, West Hongkew, and another in Ningpo Road, in the Central district. The motive for the two attacks could not be definitely ascertained.

Altogether four shots were fired by C.P.C. 774, who presumably had a total of twelve rounds of pistol ammunition in his possession when he left the West Hongkew Station. It is therefore believed that the man still has eight cartridges on him.

One of the two men shot by the policeman, a watchman employed at a bank in Ningpo Road, remained in a very serious condition last night. He was wounded in the groin and is now in the Police Hospital.

Police Seek Missing Taxi-Dancers

Two Japanese Girls Leave Local Dance Hall

Disappearance of two pretty Japanese taxi dancers who vanished from the Oriental Dance Hall in Hongkew leaving the proprietor "holding the bag" for Y.250 provided Japanese consular police with a new type of mystery yesterday according to Japanese newspapers.

Fearing that his two attractive hostesses, Miss Hideko Sonoda and Miss Tokiko Megada, might have been kidnapped, the proprietor of the dance hall asked the police to look for them—and the Y.250 they owe him.

Police were inclined to doubt that they had a real mystery to deal with and the theory was advanced that the girls might have become homesick for Japan or tired of being professional dime-a-dance entertainers. The girls came here from Japan in September. They had been missing several days before the dance hall proprietor reported the case to the police.

Vatican Compiles Plaints Against Germany

Vatican City, Nov. 19.

The Holy See has prepared a memorandum to be handed to Germany summarizing Catholic complaints against the Nazi regime based on reports from German Bishops, it was learned today.

The memorandum is considered to be the Vatican's last attempt to resume negotiations on the question of application for a concordat with Germany settling outstanding questions between the Reich and the Catholic church.—United Press.

King Carol Arrives In Paris

Paris, Nov. 19.

King Carol of Rumania and Crown Prince Michael arrived here today en route from London and Brussels back to Bucharest. They were greeted at the station by M. Georges Bonnet, Foreign Minister, several Government officials, and the staff of the Rumanian Legation.—Havas.

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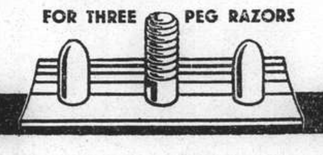

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FROM DAY TO DAY

MGR. Georges de Jonghe Dardoye, Vicar Apostolic of Yunnanfu, was appointed yesterday the new Vicar Apostolic of Iraq.

THE Nazi Government yesterday began a series of "informational" broadcasts over the radio denouncing "spies, saboteurs and traitors" in the German Reich.

MR. Rodney Dutcher, 37 years old, chief of the "News Enterprise Association," Washington Bureau, died yesterday of heart trouble. He was formerly a member of the "United Press Association" of America.

MEMBERS of the St. Andrew's Society and their guests, attending the Caledonian Ball are reminded that a reel practice will be held today at 5.30 p.m., at the Cercle Sportif Français.

Lady Clark Kerr, wife of H.M. Ambassador, made her radio debut in Shanghai last night when she spoke on the needs of Chinese refugee children in which connection she is sponsoring a special showing of the film "Alexander's Ragtime Band" at the Grand Theatre on December 1.

LIEUTENANT C. W. Churcher, appointed as Equipment Officer to the Small Arms Experimental Establishment at Hythe, has a splendid record, admirably fitting him for the post. He is a most famous marksman, having been Army Champion, King's Medallist, Queen Mary's Prizeman and member of the Army Eight. For four years he has been the R.S.M. at Hythe.

THE 1st Royal Dragoons and the 2nd Dragoons (The Royal Scots Greys), which have now reached Palestine, are two of the oldest cavalry regiments. "The Royals," as the former are called, were raised in 1661, the Scots Greys in 1681. Only the Life Guards are earlier, their date of raising being 1660. The "Blues," the Royal Horse Guards, were raised in 1661, the same year as The Royal Dragoons.

MR. E. L. Hall Patch, C.M.G., Financial Adviser to the British Embassies in Japan and China, left Yokohama on Friday in ss. Empress of Japan on home leave. Mr. Hall Patch left Shanghai on October 3, accompanied by Mr. R. H. Scott, Commercial Secretary to the British Embassy here, and has spent the last seven weeks in Japan and North China studying local conditions in order to be able to report on the present situation to his department in London. He will then probably take a short holiday, after three strenuous years in the Far East, before returning to his post. During his absence Mr. Scott will act as Financial Adviser.

French Police Sergeant Honoured

Paris, Nov. 20.

The Journal Officiel announced today that Jean Kleinbauer, retired Sergeant of the French Police in Shanghai, residing in that city, has been awarded the 'Medaille des Evades.' This medal is given to those French citizens who succeeded in escaping from enemy prison camps during the Great War.—Havas.

THE CINEMA

"Go Chase Yourself"

Wilbur ..... Joe Penner
Carol ..... Lucille Ball
Nails ..... Richard Lane
Judith ..... June Travis
Count Pierre de Louis Louis .. Fritz Feld
Ice-Box ..... Tom Kennedy

Lovers of comedy would be well advised to visit the Metropol Theatre during the screening of "Go Chase Yourself" which opened last night, for in this film Mr. Joe Penner, playing the lead this time, demonstrates that when it comes to acting in that real dumb style peculiar only to a few of Hollywood's comedians, he is among the first rank. He is ably supported by a small cast in which Mr. Richard Lane, as a bank robber with a brain as hard as the safes he tries to crack, appears to be outstanding. The story of a bank clerk who, unwittingly, gives away the secret of his firm's safe, "Go Chase Yourself" leads the audience through various hilarious episodes, finally ending on a live note when Joe, after being hounded throughout the country as one of the robbers of his own bank, is made a hero. In support are a fine "March of Time" film, dealing with prison reform in U.S.A. and Hitler's coup in Austria, and a short comedy. —R.S.

"Passport Husband"

Henry Cabot ..... Stuart Erwin
Mary Jane Clayton .... Pauline Moore
Tiger Martin ..... Douglas Fowley
Conchita Montez ..... Joan Woodbury
Ted Markson ..... Robert Lowery
Blackie Bennet ..... Harold Huber
Spike ..... Edward S. Brophy
H. C. Walton ..... Paul McVey
Bull ..... Lon Chaney, Jr.
Duke Selton ..... Joseph Sawyer

With "Passport Husband," the present attraction at the Cathay Theatre, Hollywood has brought something new in the way of gangster pictures which should make many new friends for this type of entertainment whilst blood-thirsty and sensation-eager cinema-goers will not mind the comedy-type of gangster vehicle occasionally.

In a story which has not been done before and which shows that some initiative is still left amongst producers, Stuart Erwin as a bus-boy in a popular night-club falls in love with the South American dancer who works there (Joan Woodbury), although she in turn is actually very fond of gang leader Tiger Martin (Douglas Fowley). Through some ingenious machinations, Blackie Bennet (Harold Huber), the leader of a rival gang, gets Tiger Martin deported in an endeavour to take over his rackets and his girl. Conchita in turn is sought by the South American police, news of which comes to her through Blackie's lawyer, and it is found that the only way that she can evade Federal officers would be to get married to an American citizen of good character. Unfortunately for him, Stuart Erwin is just the man she is looking for and before he knows it, Conchita is his wife. Subsequent inheritance of a vast fortune, makes Erwin a very much sought man by both gangs although he eventually outwits them only to marry Mary Jane Clayton (Pauline Moore) who, as the cigarette girl in the same night-club, actually loved him secretly.

"Dates and Nuts" an amusing College film and a better than average newsreel giving an almost complete picture of the late European crisis round out the programme.—S.M.K.

Czech President To Be Elected

Dr. Chvalkovsky Expected To Succeed Dr. Benes; Slovaks Given Autonomy

Prague, Nov. 19.

Parliament will elect the new Czech President on Thursday next, and Dr. Frantisek Chvalkovsky, presently Foreign Minister and formerly Minister to Rome, is expected to be voted into the office vacated early in October by Dr. Eduard Benes.

Meanwhile, progress is being made in drafting the law that is to accord autonomy to the Carpathic Ukraino (Ruthenia). The text of this measure has had to be modified before being presented to Parliament for ratification.

It is recalled that the Treaty of Saint Germain recognises the existence of this land as Subcarpathic Russia. It was under this name that its attachment to Czechoslovakia was sanctioned.

A special paragraph of a law voted today, however, specifies that the autonomous Diet of the "State" may constitutionally change the name of the region to the Carpathic Ukraine instead of Subcarpathic Russia.

Only Two Political Parties

There are now but two political parties in Czechoslovakia, the rightists represented by the Czech National Party and the leftists, who are trying to form a National Labour Party.

The Fascist group headed by General Rudolph Gajda reached a decision today to join the National Party, and the Catholic Party, to date wishing to remain independent, split in two and the majority came over to the National Party also. A smaller group of the Catholics remains faithful to the leader, Mgr. Sramek, however, and stay out of the National Party.

In the rightist combine of groups there are now the Fascists, Agrarian Republicans, Social Nationalists, Artisans, Catholics, National Unionists and the National League party. In the leftist side there are the Social Democrats who wish to form a Labour Party with elements of the banned Communist Party.—Havas.

Autonomy For Slovak

Prague, Nov. 20.

Bills granting autonomy to Slovakia and Subcarpathian Ruthenia were adopted by large majorities in the Czech Chamber yesterday. The Bills now have to pass the Senate.—Reuter.

Fighting on Border

Budapest, Nov. 19.

The Hungarian News agency at Munkacs said today that a Czechoslovak patrol entered Hungarian territory near Munkacs while pursuing a group of Ruthenian army deserters.

The Czech border patrol clashed with Hungarian troops and fought for 30 minutes. The Czechs eventually returned across the frontier, carrying an undetermined number of dead and wounded with them. Two Ruthenians were killed during the clash, the agency declared.—United Press.

Japanese Civilians Return to Canton

Party Arrives to Commence Reconstruction Work

Canton, Nov. 20.

Carrying brief cases instead of guns, 53 members of a "civilian expeditionary force" of business men, bankers and consular employees following closely in the footsteps of Japanese troops arrived here to assist in the reconstruction of Canton.

Included in the party were 43 employees of banks and business concerns, the Canton branches of the Bank of Taiwan, Yokohama Specie Bank, Mitsui Bussan Kaisha and the Taiwan Transport and Express Co.

Headed by Mr. Isotaro Okamoto, vice-chairman of the Japanese Residents' Association, they comprised the second vanguard unit of business men to arrive in the city since the Japanese occupation. The members of the party were consular employees. They have taken up their duties in close co-operation with diplomatic and military authorities. —Domei.

Czech Shoe Magnate Arrested

M. Bata Caught Trying to Smuggle Currency

Berlin, Nov. 20.

The Czech industrial magnate, M. Bata, owner of one of the largest shoe industries in the world, was arrested at the frontier post of Leitmeritz for an attempt to smuggle currency across the German frontier into Czecho-Slovakia, the Soudeten organ, "Die Zeit," announced today.

The paper stated that the magnate, who was accompanied by his nephew, was stopped at the frontier and as he appeared exceedingly nervous, he was searched by the customs officials. The officials found a sum of £164,000 on him and immediately placed him under arrest.—Havas.

Tientsin Boosts Anti-Comintern Programme

Tientsin, Nov. 20.

Hundreds of Chinese residents paraded through the streets here yesterday followng a mass meeting held in support of the anti-Comintern front and the programme of "national salvation."

Mr. Kao Ling-wei, governor of Hopei province, was the principal speaker at the meeting. Speeches urging "construction of a new East Asia" were also delivered by representatives of the New People's Society, the Educational Council and the Chamber of Commerce and Industry. A similar gathering was held at Peiping a few days ago.—Domei.

Typhoons Bring Rich Seaweed Harvest

Tokyo, Nov. 20.

A bumper crop of *nori*, popular Japanese delicacy of seaweeds, was attributed this year to the typhoons which preceded heavy rains last summer bringing havoc to the low lying sections of eastern Tokyo. The harvest, said to be the richest in the last 20 years, was occasioned by the purification of the water and sea beds following the typhoons.—Domei.

Shanghai Junk to Try Again

The Pescadores, Nov. 20.

Seven adventurous travellers, five of them from Shanghai, left here last night in a storm-battered junk for Taihoku, Formosa to make new preparations to cross the Pacific Ocean.

Undaunted by the failure of their first attempt, which ended here four days after they sailed from Wenchow, Chekiang, the seven foreign "castaways" were determined to brave the hazards of the 5,000-mile journey once more after their primitive craft has been repaired and refitted.

Mr. J. M. Nicholas, American captain of the junk, named the Mei-ling after Mme. Chiang Kai-shek, said he would sail from Taihoku to Hongkong, where the boat will be overhauled. The voyagers are attempting to cross the ocean by the long route to San Francisco, where they plan to visit the World's Fair.—Domei.

Crowds Pay Respects To Kemal Ataturk

Turkish President Will Be Buried at Ismet

Istanbul, Nov. 19.

Weeping thousands paid their last tribute to the late Kemal Ataturk, President of Turkey, when his remains were carried across the city today aboard a gun-carriage pulled by six coal-black horses.

Crowds of men and women watched mournfully as the carriage passed by on its way from the Dolma Bagtche Palace to the waterfront, where the coffin was taken on board the destroyer Zafer. The vessel then sailed slowly to the middle of the harbour, came alongside the cruiser Yavouz, and the coffin of "The Greatest Turk" was transferred. The Yavouz shortly after sailed from its anchorage off Selimye, bound for Ismet.

As she steamed out of the harbour the foreign warships concentrated here saluted solemnly in honour of the late President, who will be buried in Ismet.

An incident marred the progress of the cortege through the city when old walls upon which people had clambered to better view the procession, crumbled and dashed to the ground the large number of men and women upon them. Twenty were seriously injured.—Havas.

Ankara, Nov. 19.

The French and Soviet delegations sent here to pay their last tribute at the funeral of the late Kemal Ataturk, President of Turkey, were received with military honours today.—Havas.

President Recalls World's Troubles

Thanksgiving Proclamation Expresses Sympathy

Washington, Nov. 19.

President Roosevelt today issued the annual proclamation to the American people naming next Thursday as Thanksgiving Day, but at the same time gave cognizance to troubled developments in other areas of the world.

Emphasizing that in the United States "we have cherished and preserved our democracy," the proclamation issued by the President called on Americans to pray for "unfortunate people in other lands who are in dire distress."

The proclamation coincided with the revelation that Congress and officials are divided over a proposed measure to aid refugees. Senator William E. Borah, Republican of Idaho, objected to any changes in the immigration laws, contending that any possible realization from such a change would be inadequate to relieve the German refugee problem.

Senator Borah predicted that any attempt to liberalize the immigration laws "would arouse tremendous opposition" both outside and inside Congress. Other Congressmen support this view, fearing that an influx of immigrants would aggravate the already acute American unemployment problem.—United Press.

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Japanese Soldiers in Role of Bards

Troops at Front Enter New Year Contest

Tokyo, Nov. 20.

Giving vent to poetic sentiments in the environment of a battlefield, many Japanese soldiers at various China fronts are sending "masterpieces" of verse to Tokyo in response to the traditional New Year poetry contest sponsored by the Imperial Poetry Bureau of the Imperial Household Ministry.

These impromptu poet-soldiers are working under a handicap: they have only a meagre supply of regulation stationery! To overcome a paper and ink shortage the Poetry Bureau officials have been instructed by the Throne to waive the rules regarding the kinds of paper on which the soldiers are sending in their literary opuses.

The theme for this year's contest is "an Island in the Morning Sun" and the deadline is December 10. Particular interest has been aroused by the contributions of nurses working at the fronts.

Special albums of the verses sent from the fronts in China and Manchoukuo will be compiled and kept by Their Majesties, Emperor Hirohito and Empress Nagako, it was revealed. —Domei.

Seven Cripples Drown In Car Accident

Party on Way to Clinic is Thrown into Flooded Mine

Wilkes Barre, Pa., Nov. 19.

Seven crippled boys ranging in age from seven to 14 years, and the driver of the car in which they were riding, were drowned today when the highway collapsed, plunging the car into an old mine cave-in filled with 30 feet of water.

The boys were en route to Kirby Health Centre from various homes in Wilkes Barre township in order to receive weekly treatment. A railway crane was used to lift the automobile out of the cave-in. All of the bodies were recovered.—United Press.

One Burned to Death In Downtown Fire

Chekiang Road Shop and Adjoining Houses Afire

A Chinese was burned to death and another seriously injured by the flames at a devastating fire yesterday afternoon in Chekiang Road. The flames started at about 1 o'clock in a cigarette and exchange shop, 256 Chekiang Road, and spread to two adjoining houses. The shop was badly damaged, while the other buildings escaped with slight damage.

After one man had been sent to hospital in a serious condition from burns, another was found dead in the ruins.

Central Station firemen extinguished the flames after a keen fight.

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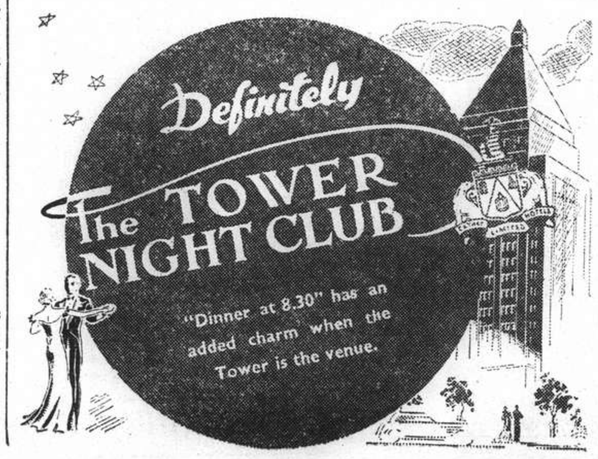

Duke of Gloucester Next Viceroy?

London, Nov. 20.

The Duke of Gloucester will be appointed Viceroy of India when the mandate of the present Viceroy, Lord Linlithgow, expires, the "Sunday Pictorial" announced here today.—Havas.

M. Daladier Stands By Programme

Government's Fate Staked On New Reforms

Paris, Nov. 19.

M. Edouard Daladier, Premier, is fully determined to stake the life of his Government on the drastic labour and financial reforms recently instituted despite the increasingly bitter opposition of left-wing adherents to the old Popular Front, it was revealed here today.

The crisis has been temporarily delayed because Communists, Socialists and labourites are reluctant to demonstrate against the government during the state visits of Mr. Neville Chamberlain, the British Prime Minister, and King Carol of Rumania.

The swiftly-rising wrath of labour circles however, is likely to increase as soon as the state visits are terminated, it was pointed out.—United Press.

Fugitive Policeman's Pistol Recovered

Weapon Discarded But Man Still at Large

The service pistol of Chinese Police Constable 774, who disappeared after having wounded two men on Saturday evening, was discovered last night in the Bubbling Well Police District, where it had been discarded. The wanted man himself was, however, still at large at an early hour this morning.

It was learned at midnight that one of the two men wounded when the C.P.C. ran amok on Saturday was still in a critical condition in the Police Hospital. He was shot twice: once in the leg and once in the abdomen.

The fugitive policeman was attached to the West Hongkew Police Station.

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Pirates Fight Ship; Fright Kills Man

Christine Moller Officers Return Fire

A Chinese passenger died of heart-failure on board the ss. Christine Moller early yesterday morning as a result of an engagement which the former ice-breaking vessel had with pirates in the Yangtze River twenty miles off Woosung.

The Christine Moller, bound from Tsingkiang to Shanghai with a cargo of pigs, cattle, poultry and vegetables, was challenged by three pirate junks at about 3 a.m. The junks, as they bore down on the British vessel, opened fire with rifles, bullets striking the lifeboats and spattering the deck. No-one was injured, however, and the Russian captain and other officers promptly returned the fire with heavy-calibre revolvers. The officers fired altogether some forty shots at the pirate boats, causing the pirates to change their plans and flee.

It was immediately after this affray that a male Chinese passenger, name not known, collapsed from a weak heart and died. He was taken off the vessel upon arrival in Shanghai, where the Christine Moller berthed at the foot of Kiukiang Road. The body was taken to the Public Mortuary.

As a result of yesterday's skirmish and other recent attacks by pirates in the Yangtze entrance, it is understood that the Moller management contemplates placing regular pirate guards on their vessels plying between Shanghai and the lower Yangtze ports.

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THE SPORTS PAGE

French Forces Fight Losing Battle Against Club

Big Crowd Sees Hardfought Rugger Match; Speed of French Pack Poorly Supported

IN a closely contested and interesting rugby game at the Race Course yesterday afternoon the French Forces succumbed for the first time this season, going down to the Club 1st XV, the final score reading three goals (one penalty) against two tries. In some respects the French were unlucky to lose, the magnificent efforts of their forwards being poorly supported by their threes while several promising movements were neutralized by their players continually infringing the rules when in good positions.

The Forces' pack, on the whole, was better than that of the Club and it used its speed and weight to good advantage to secure the ball in the loose much more often than the Club. In set scrums, however, Reynolds did a far better job at hooking than Stourbe, and was able to get the ball back three times out of five. This appeared due to the fact that Laffond, who otherwise played a fine game, was rarely up with the forwards when the pack got down and consequently the French front row was depleted time after time.

Basset had the measure of his opposite number Vilm and his speedy passing, especially towards the end of the game, did a lot towards bringing victory to the Club. The Club threes did much better than previously this season, their handling and passing while flat out being very commendable. They did not have many chances to shine, though, the French marking and tackling being most deadly throughout and the two tries recorded were the results of exceptionally fine opportunism after the ball had travelled across the field.

Rigg and Got, the full backs, both performed splendidly, their kicking and defensive play being up to a high standard. The player who shone head and shoulders over everybody else on the field, however, was Dr. Carrel, the French wing forward, who turned in one of the finest displays given by any forward in Shanghai in recent years.

Always up with the ball he was ever in the thick of the fray and the manner in which he secured the ball from lines-out despite vigorous opposition was delightful to watch. Dr. Brouste, the French stand-off also did well, but the pace began to tell in the closing minutes and he was not seen to such great advantage.

The Club forwards all pulled their weight and their brilliant showing in the second half helped tremendously to obtain the points that were to win a fast-fought game that, in the main, was dominated by forward play.

CLUB FIRST XV:—W. H. B. Rigg; J. W. M. Martin; A. G. White, T. R. Basset; W. D. Pearson, R. Reynolds, D. Basset; W. D. Pearson, R. Reynolds, D. M. Wheeler, G. G. Brown, W. J. Richmond, P. B. Tay, F. R. Burch and A. M. Kennedy (captain).

FRENCH FORCES:—Got; Bouche, Mathieu, Richard, Sahonnet; Dr. Brouste (captain), Vilm; Laffond, Stourbe, Groland, Paumé, Le Doze, Dr. Carrel, Simon and Meyer.

Referee: Mr. G. S. Dunkley.

Pass Intercepted

The first ten minutes play saw the ball in mid-field and in the vicinity of the French 25, but although three penalties were awarded against, the Forces for infringements, Rigg was unable to open the score.

From a loose scrum near the French line, Brouste intercepted a pass from White intended for Roe and streaked up the field, making fifty yards ground before kicking ahead with the remainder of the team following up well. Martin, however, managed to get back in time and kicking to touch saved a dangerous situation.

Occasionally Basset was able to sling the ball out to his threes, but before they could get under way they were flattened by the aggressive French tacklers who would give nothing away. Brouste and Carrel showing up very well in this respect.

After twenty minutes of very vigorous play during which both sides threatened intermittently, the Club threes got away and with Innes in possession the Forces' were drawn towards the right. The winger, however, cross kicked and had the French defence in a tangle. A loose scrum resulted under the posts and Laffond was palpably offside, Rigg making no mistake with the ensuing kick.

French Advance

From the kick-off the French forwards surged down the field and with Roe committing a technical infringement, were awarded a penalty in the Club 25. Got took the kick from a difficult angle and had the bad luck to see his effort hit the upright and bounce back into play.

The soldiers were not to be denied, though, and with Rigg hesitating for a fraction of a second after catching a high punt almost on his own line, he was grounded by four forwards and the ball quickly taken over by Simon to equalize the score. Got narrowly missed from an awkward angle.

Immediately after the whistle opening the second half, an orthodox threes' movement put Roe in possession and swerving and brushing aside his would-be tacklers he made over forty yards ground before planting the ball beneath the posts. Rigg converted easily.

The French then retaliated and from a line-out some 35 yards from the Club line, Carrel secured and forced his way through several defenders to score the second French try. Got just missed adding the extra points from a most difficult angle.

The soldiers were then seen for the next ten minutes hammering away at the civilians' line but try as they might, they could not force the ball over. Then from a set scrum some 30 yards in the French half, Basset secured, passed out to White who then handed on to Aucott. The latter sold a beautiful dummy before slinging the ball to Roe, and the latter finding his way blocked handed on to Innes, who went on to finish the best movement of the day by touching down under the posts, for Rigg to add the extra points to make the final score 13 to 6 in the Club's favour.

Coast's "Big Game" To California

Fighting Stanford Team Goes Down; Notre Dame Beats Northwestern

New York, Nov. 19.

Eleven fighting "Irish" from Notre Dame almost saw their dreams of a national championship whisked away today under the onslaught of a cardinal-jerseyed machine from Northwestern—but when the smoke of battle rolled away, the Ramblers were on top, 9-7.

Three points, garnered by a converted field goal, held the slim margin of victory for Notre Dame as it continued its drive for recognition as America's outstanding gridiron aggregation of 1938. It was the closest scare of the year for the Irish team. Their ribtickling 7-0 win over Carnegie was a walk-away compared to today's game, for right up to the final moment, Northwestern threatened to score and send the Ramblers into the oblivion that smothers defeated teams.

Both Northwestern and Notre Dame crossed the final marker to chalk up six points each, but Northwestern added the point-after-touchdown to send shivers of fear rolling up and down the backs of loyal Notre Dame supporters. And when Notre Dame succeeded in driving into scoring territory, Northwestern's line stiffened and the Irish were forced to seek victory by means of a field goal. It was successful, and today they still reign as the major undefeated, united eleven in American sports annals for 1938.

Texas Undefeated

True, Texas Christian continued its streak by mopping up Rice, 29-7, thereby keeping its slate clean and its bid in for national honours. But TC's schedule of games with Centenary, Arkansas, Temple, Texas A & M, Marquette, Baylor, Tulsa and Texas cannot be compared to the murderous schedule of Notre Dame: Kansas, Georgia Tech, Illinois, Carnegie Tech, Army, Navy and Minnesota—all on successive Saturdays.

Little Duke University, always a threat for gridiron supremacy, continued its unbeaten march by eking out a close 7-0 decision over North Carolina State. But Duke will never get recognition as long as teams like Notre Dame dominate the picture. With Santa Clara out of the limelight because of its upset loss to St. Mary's last Sunday, 7-0, the first defeat the Broncos have suffered in three years, sports writers are almost unanimously agreed that the Irish constitute the best-balanced all-around grid team in the nation.

Annual "Big Game"

In the annual "Big Game" on the Pacific Coast, the California Golden Bears stomped over a game, fighting Stanford eleven, 6-0, to continue its drive for the Rose Bowl bid. California has suffered only one loss, to Southern California, and the Trojans dropped one the next week to Washington to drop into a tie with the Bears for the title.

Today's game was a classic, as always. The Cardinals, humbled by five defeats in the Pacific race, and with only two wins to their credit, stormed out against the mighty Golden Bears—and if it had not been for the one touchdown "Stub" Allison's boys pushed across, the Cardinals could have returned home, their season a success by virtue of a scoreless tie with California.

Results

Columbia 12, Syracuse 13
Fordham 13, South Carolina 0
Bucknell 16, George Washington 0
Tufts 7, Massachusetts State 6
Pittsburgh 26, Pennsylvania State 0
Duke 7, North Carolina State 0
Yale 0, Harvard 7
Manhattan 13, West Virginia 0
Boston University 6, Villanova 39
Iowa State 0, Oklahoma 10
Texas Tech 17, New Mexico 7
Utah 13, Wyoming 0
Brigham Young 20, Colorado State 12
Colorado Mines 15, Greeley 9
Howard Alabama 25, Birmingham Southern 0
Florida 19, Knoxville 0
Missouri 26, St. Louis 0
Oregon 3, Washington 0
California 6, Stanford 0
Idaho 14, Utah State 0
Grinnell 21, Colorado College 7
Southwestern 7, Mississippi State 3
Centenary 48, Depauw 0
Ohio 14, Marshall 7
Rice 7, Texas Christian 29
Kansas State 41, Washburn 14
Baylor 6, Southern Methodist University 21
Chicago 0, Illinois 34
Northwestern 7, Notre Dame 9
Tulane 38, Sewanee 0
Georgia 14, Auburn 0
Missouri 26, St. Louis 0
Louisville 0, Centre 14
Minnesota 21, Wisconsin 0
Iowa 0, Nebraska 14
Georgia Tech 0, Florida 0
Purdue 13, Indiana 6
Johns Hopkins 25, American 7
Ohio State 0, Michigan 18
Georgetown 14, Maryland 7
Detroit 33, Tulsa 14
Michigan State 10, Temple 0
Princeton 7, Army 19
Lafayette 6, Lehigh 0
Parsons 12, Central 7
Knox 14, Monmouth 7
Waynesburg 20, Salem 0
Nebraska Wesleyan 7, Tarkio 0
—United Press.

Harvard Beats Yale By One Touchdown

New Haven, Connecticut, Nov. 19.

In their annual football clash today, Harvard beat Yale by seven points to nil.—Reuter.

"N.C.D.N." Photo.

Club Defeats French Forces

Action in yesterday's hardfought rugger match at the Race Course in which the speedy French Forces succumbed for the first time this season to the Club's 1st XV. Here, Reynolds is being brought down by two forwards of the French Forces.

Cross-Country Run Won By T. L. Wong

Lido Club Takes Premier Honours by Big Margin

Over 2½ miles of cross-country running yesterday morning, it was the Lido team with T. L. Wong as their leader that won premier honours among the eleven groups participating. The race was for the Min Kuang Cup. By scoring the smallest number of points, Lido won with a total of 35. In second place was the Wei Chiu Cross-Country Club with 58 points, while third honours were taken by the Hongkew Cross-Country Club with 104.

The first man across the finish line was T. L. Wong who ran the distance in 15 minutes, 34.8 seconds. Behind him were two Wei Chiu men, K. F. Liu and B. K. Zee, but the following four places were all occupied by Lido colours: Y. W. Kwan, S. V. Ling, L. Chang and S. C. Chao.

Crucial Game in Cates League Won Narrowly

Excitement Runs High in Navy "Y" Gymnasium

Excitement ran high in the Navy Y.M.C.A. gymnasium Saturday when "H" Company scored a breath-taking victory over "A" Company to win the "B" Division honours of the Colonel Cates Basketball League by 30-27. The success enabled the "H" five to meet Headquarters Second, winners of "A" Division, in a series of three games to decide the championship.

"H" Company	fg.	ft.	f.	pts.
Palmer, f.	5	0	0	10
Bryant, f.	6	3	1	15
Lewis, c.	0	1	2	1
Millar, g.	2	0	1	4
Goze, g.	0	0	1	0
	15	4	5	30
"A" Company				
Hughes, f.	2	1	2	5
McSwain, f.	4	3	0	11
Ericksen, c.	0	1	0	1
Goush, g.	3	1	6	7
Barker, g.	2	0	2	4
	11	5	5	27

1st half:—"H" 11, "A" 9
2nd half:—"H" 19, "A" 18

Garcia, Armstrong Ready for Battle

Filipino Conceded Good Chance of Scoring Knock Out Over Champion

New York, Nov. 16.

After closely examining Henry Armstrong, negro world welterweight and lightweight champion, and Ceferino Garcia, Filipino welterweight contender, physicians of the New York State Athletic Commission pronounced them to be in excellent condition today for their fight on November 25.

Armstrong will defend his title, acquired from Barney Ross, for the first time when he faces the savage hitting "bolo" puncher from Manila.

Both were found hard at work today, training for the big bout. Both were knocking their sparring partners roughly about and they were apparently on edge, indicating that the battle on November 25 should be a slugfest, the like of which has not been seen here in many moons.

Although Armstrong will be defending his recently won title for the first time, it will be Garcia's third attempt to snatch the 147-pound crown and thus become the first Filipino in history to win such a championship.

Three Defeats

On three occasions he fought Ross and although on all three occasions he knocked down the Jewish battler he lost the verdict because the Chicago scrapper would put on a roaring finish.

Armstrong and Garcia were originally matched to fight November 2, but the bout was postponed because of a last minute injury to Armstrong.

The little negro fighter was injured when he slipped while posing for newsreelmen and newspaper cameramen.

The only man in boxing history to hold the welterweight, lightweight and featherweight titles simultaneously, (he renounced the latter recently), Armstrong is usually favoured to win, but the better known experts pick Garcia.

By far the hardest hitting man ever to face Armstrong, Garcia should not find it difficult to hit Armstrong, who comes in wide open although with both fists flailing. Both are sluggers and thus the bout should develop into a grand slambang affair with the man who drives in the hardest and most punches winning.

Armstrong, many say, has been considerably softened by the beating he took at the fists of Lou Ambers, who split open the negro's lip and gashed his cheek-bones, but lost the lightweight title.

Seventeen stitches were necessary to sew up Armstrong's split lip and many believe this injury will prove a handicap to the negro when he faces Garcia because the Filipino will concentrate on the negro's mouth.—United Press.

Alekhine Proves Master Of Capablanca

Fine Still Leads Avro Chess Tournament

Amsterdam, Nov. 20.

The ninth round of the Avro chess tournament was played yesterday evening at Arnhem. Capablanca celebrated his 50th birthday yesterday which, however, did not prevent him from losing against Alekhine in 35 moves.

Euwe and Flohr drew their game after 29 moves while the games between Botwinnik and Keres, and between Fine and Reshevsky were adjourned.

After the ninth round, the American Reuben Fine still leads with a total of six points and one adjourned game, closely followed by the Estonian Keres with 5½ points and one adjourned game.

Botwinnik has 4½ points and one adjourned game, Capablanca 4½ points, Alekhine 4 points and one adjourned game, Reshevsky 3 points and two adjourned games, Euwe three and Flohr 2 points.—Trans-Ocean.

Lewis Carson Wins Once Again

Chang Defeated in Final Of C.S.F. Hardcourt Play In Straight Sets

Lewis D. Carson again ruled supreme in the local tennis world when he successfully retained the Cercle Sportif Francais Open Hardcourt Singles Championship yesterday afternoon by disposing of T. C. Chang by 7-5, 8-6, 6-1. Carson played a brilliant all-court game. He had all his trenchant weapons functioning above his normal form and had also the necessary reserve strength.

The Chinese star found his length and control as soon as the competition opened up and chose to play an attacking game to offer a stern challenge every inch of the way. Carson was invincible in the pinches, murdering the ball whenever he went up to the net following a strong drive down either side of the court. The champion rose to great heights in the third set in which he was like a panther on the court, with lightning quickness at the net.

Chang started out in convincing style. Although his service was weak, the challenger possessed fine ground strokes. He crossed over brilliant backhand shots and took a lead of 2-0 with the loss of only three points. In the third game the Chinese had the misfortune of driving two shots out. Carson was content to be kept on the defensive and retrieved every shot to the best of his ability. Chang lost the game but broke Carson's service for the second time in the fourth frame to regain the advantage.

Carson Strikes Back

Carson began to strike back and put his adversary under so much pressure that Chang had only a slight edge. The title-holder extricated himself from a tight spot in the sixth game and tied the score at 3-all after a long deuce game. In the seventh Chang was again hitting strongly from both sides, serving accurately with a light spin. Carson broke down under the strain for Chang to regain the advantage again.

The eighth game belonged to the American who gained two fine points from plays at the net and the score was deadlocked for the third time at 4-all.

To the surprise of the spectators the Chinese won the next game at love, hitting with scorching pace and the full length of the court. But Carson was not to be outdone and came back with a love game on cannon ball services. In the following two games he went out in full cry and opened the court for his emphatic volleys and overhead smashes. He won almost as he pleased towards the close, with Chang piling up errors and at his mercy.

Finer Tactics

In the second set the trailer again took a two-game lead but Carson won the next three games through finer tactics. He now elected to stay away from the net, keep the ball in play with a larger margin of safety and direct it as much as possible to his opponent's corners.

However, the ultimate winner suddenly found trouble in his service and allowed the score to be tied at 3-all. Chang was encouraged and captured the next game after deuce. Realizing the danger of losing, Carson tightened up to have again a real fight on his hands. He worried Chang by acting as if he was going to rush the net after every stroke. The American took two games in a row for a 5-4 lead.

Making a determined bid not to save the set, Chang saved a set point after 40-30 on Carson's service and finally pulled through to knot the score at 5-all. He then proceeded to play errorlessly and annexed a second love game to forge ahead at 6-5.

Confidence, however, saved Carson from losing the set. His unreturnable services rattled the Chinese, who faltered repeatedly and succumbed by 8-6.

The final set was the best of the match, although Chang got only one game. The Chinese fought doggedly and tried to make recoveries all over the court. But as valiantly as he fought and though he was playing as well as he had in previous sets, it was always a fight against odds and superior hitting power.

Mixed Doubles Tennis Final at C.S.F.

F. Ouei and Harry Li Win in Two Sets

It was an all-Chinese final in the C.S.F. Open Hardcourt Mixed Doubles Championship when Harry K. F. Li and Miss Florie Ouei defeated P. K. "Poker" Tong and Miss Mimie Ouei yesterday by two straight sets of 6-2, 7-5.

In the semi-finals which were played earlier in the afternoon Miss Ouei and Li eliminated Mr. and Mrs. H. Collaco by 7-5, 6-3 while the younger Miss Ouei, Mimie, and Tong disposed of Y. Segalen and Madame L. des Courtils by 7-5 and 6-2.

The combination of the champions proved much steadier and reliable than that of the runners-up. In the first set Miss Florie Ouei played a good lobbing game and forced the opponents to stay in the back court. Li was infallible at the net, smashing and volleying successfully. In the second set the losers put up stubborn resistance, with Tong hitting powerfully to outdrive the rivals. The score rose evenly and was tied four times before Li and his partner polished off the eleventh and twelveth games for a final victory.

Manila Interested in Interport Soccer

May Vie With Shanghai At Hongkong

Manila, Nov. 17.

Manila's soccer team may participate in the interport series this year if Shanghai grants Hongkong's request to hold the interport meet at Hongkong, Mr. John M. Cleland, chairman of the Philippine Amateur Athletic Federation's football committee declared today.

Mr. Cleland will leave Saturday on a globe-girdling trip to contact football associations in Singapore, Java and Europe in an effort to stimulate soccer in Manila.

"Manila should be the Far East's football centre,"—Mr. Cleland declared.—United Press.

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Fireworks at School Classic

P.T.H. Forwards Show Speed in Defeating S.F.X. Second Team 6-1 in League Football

BETWEEN eight hundred and a thousand spectators witnessed the soccer match at the Race Course yesterday afternoon between St. Francis Xavier's second eleven and the Public and Thomas Hanbury School. Both sides had crowds of enthusiastic supporters lining the touchlines, and there was a distinct "flavour" about the support given to this Shanghai schools "classic." Every time the sides scored a goal, fireworks were let off which helped to intensify the atmosphere.

P.T.H. won the toss and elected to play with a rather strong downfield wind behind them. From the kick-off, pressure from the P.T.H. forwards placed them in a very favourable position in front of the Xaverians" goal, but their inside right, although playing a very clever and hard-working game missed a "sitter." From the ensuing goal-kick they came again, and a lovely cross-kick by the outside-right was spoilt by all three inside forwards mis-kicking. The Xaverian forwards were rarely in the picture, owing to the wind and the steady play of the Hanbury defence.

Outstanding in the P.T.H. attack was the centre-foward who notched three goals in the first half, mainly on account of his being able to snap up any loose balls, and a nice turn of speed, which had the opposing backs in a tangle several times in the opening half. The remaining goals of the first half were scored by the Hanbury inside-right, who was always in the picture with his quick tackling and deft passing.

The only occasion on which the Xaverians looked likely to score in this half, was when their speedy outside left, picking a pass in midfield, beat the opposing half-back and found himself right in the goal-mouth with only the goalkeeper to beat, but, evidently trying to place his shot, he sliced it and it passed harmlessly over the line for a goal-kick. The half-time whistle went with the score at 5-0 in favour of P.T.H.

In the second half it was quite a different tale, for the Xaverians almost from the start were attacking and several good shots were charged down, more than once the Hanbury halves and backs were glad to boot the ball for corners, which however, proved abortive. The game had to be stopped for a while to remove an unregistered "player" from the field, in the shape of a very playful wire-haired terrier. This was eventually accomplished and the game proceeded.

From the throwdown the P.T.H. forwards advanced again, and their dashing centre-forward scored his fourth goal. But still the Xaverians came again and this time were rewarded with a goal which was the best of the match and was the outcome of good passing and ball control. The centre-half passed to the outside-right who whipped over a beautiful centre right to the feet of the centre-forward, who, in turn, beat the opposing back and placed the ball in the goal well out of reach of the goal-keeper.

There was no further scoring in this match, and the score of 6-1 in favour of P.T.H. was solely due to the chances taken by their forwards in the first half.

Germans Succumb To United

Cool, Calculating Defence Holds Losers in Check in League Hockey Match

Scoring two goals in each half, the United Hockey Club defeated the German Hockey Club in a First Division match at the Race Course yesterday by 4-1 to prove themselves strong contenders in this year's championship race.

The Germans played raggedly. Except for some brief raids, they could hardly match the United Club's aggressiveness. The winning forward line was fast and tricky, with H. Waldman and F. R. Kermani playing leading roles.

The teams were:—

UNITED:—J. P. Jones, S. A. Collaco, K. M. Pate, J. L. Berglof, L. Oliveira, A. Fonseca, A. Leitao, R. Murray, F. R. Kermani, H. Waldman, J. Fonseca.

GERMAN:—Schroeder, Melchers, Berg, Remelle, Wetzell, Droesse, Guenter, Wuicke, von Aster, Bochun, Soenksen.

Germans Attack

Play started with the Germans advancing. Wetzell engineered a few moves but the forwards lacked finishing power. Pate and Collaco were very steady and cleared in good form Oliveira and Tony Fonseca got going and broke up the German forwards' movements time and again. Waldmar fitted into the front line well with his clever stickwork. Before the game was ten minutes old, Kermani scored a pretty shot.

Shortly afterwards Waldman tallied from a pass by his colleague. Melchers and Wetzell both tried in vain to block his shot.

Although two goals behind the Germans were by no means discouraged. Showing determination, the team began to attack vigorously. For fully five minutes the ball was constantly kept in the United side of the field. Soenksen made a few fine runs and succeeded in slipping to Bochun a forward pass. Collaco, however, made a big mistake in trying to wait for the ball to stop and then clear. Bochun came to the spot and beat Collaco to the ball. Jones advanced, trying to shorten the angle, but Bochun took a quick shot and scored.

With a Rush

Upon resumption, the leaders came with a rush. In the 2nd minute, Murray carried the ball down and crossed over after having reached the circle. Kermani shot but the ball was stopped by Berg. Schroeder ran out but before he could clear Waldman drove with full force to put the team back in a lead of two goals. In less than two minutes the United forwards again descended upon the German goal. Wetzell lost possession of the ball to Johnny Fonseca at a distance of five yards from the goal. Fonseca lost no time to pass to Kermani who easily converted.

In order to make a final rally Wetzell moved up into the front line and pulled Soenksen back to be pivot. The change brought about partial success as the Germans, although having most of the play by keeping the ball within the United territory, failed to break into the goal. The opposing defence proved too tight and there was not a single chance to find a shot. As a result, the victors easily kept a 4-1 advantage until the last whistle peeped.

"N.C.D.N." Photo.

Tennis Champion

Lewis Carson in action as he won the C.S.F. Hardcourt tennis championship by beating Chang in the final yesterday. He is making an effort to retrieve a difficult shot.

Tiger Jack Fox Will Fight Al Gainer

Winner to Clash with John Henry Lewis

New York, Nov. 16.

Tiger Jack Fox of Spokane and Al Gainer of New Haven were matched today to clash in the first of a series of elimination bouts on November 29 to determine who will meet John Henry Lewis, world light-heavy-weight champion.

Both Fox and Gainer are negroes as is Lewis, who is making preparations to sign papers to fight Joe Louis in January.

The clash between Fox and Gainer will be staged at the Bronx Coliseum and although termed as an "elimination bout," the winner is almost certain to be given a crack at Lewis.

Gainer recently lost a narrow points decision to the world champion over the fifteen round route. Lewis was forced to spurt toward the end of the bout to gain the nod.

The bout marked the first all-negro light-heavyweight championship in 34 years.

Gainer, a New Haven bricklayer, has been for long ranked as No. 2 in the light-heavyweight division, although many believe Fox to be the harder hitter.

The two met once before and Gainer won on points over the 15-round route in Pittsburgh.—United Press

Canidrome Results

1—440 yd. flat.—1, State Lottery; 2, Pokerlaw.
Also ran:—The Slowaway, Skeddadle, Magic Music, Kind Girl.
½ length.—Time, 27.33.
Win, $31.40. Forecast (6-1) Div. $78.60.
Place, 1st $10.60; 2nd $7.70.

2—440 yd. flat.—1, Little Moira; 2, Dalesson.
Also ran:—Winsome Maid, Black Duchess, Woodford, Red Terror.
3 lengths.—Time, 26.47.
Win, $19.80. Forecast (3-6) Div. $100.90.
Place, 1st $11.40; 2nd $13.00.
Double Event 1/2 (6-3) Div. $69.10.

3—500 yd. flat.—1, Simple Simon; 2, Nagasaki.
Also ran:—Irish Melody, Triumphant Tom, Arrow, Our Joy.
5 lengths.—Time, 30.97.
Win, $16.50. Forecast (2-6) Div. $35.50.
Place, 1st $8.20; 2nd $6.90.
Double Event 2/3 (3-2) Div. $26.30.

4—500 yd. flat.—1, Beau Ideal; 2, Brass Hat.
Also ran:—Quicksand, New Lover, Modern Wave, Plain Bee.
5½ lengths.—Time, 30.53.
Win, $23.00. Forecast (2-1) Div. $97.20.
Place, 1st $10.80; 2nd $14.40.
Double Event 3/4 (2-2) Div. $21.50.

5—500 yd. flat.—1, Clara Fante; 2, Shenkoland II.
Also ran:—Charming Lee, Lulla Dale, Mona, Myrtle.
1½ length.—Time, 30.20.
Win, $13.10. Forecast (6-2) Div. $29.60.
Place, 1st $8.00; 2nd $8.30.
Double Event 4/5 (2-6) Div. $22.30.

6—500 yd. flat.—1 D|H., Berniedale and Bronte.
Also ran:—Full House, La Donna, Mad Plume, Five Stars II.
Dead heat.—Time, 30.94.
Win, $8.40 and $13.70. Forecast (3-5 and 5-3) Div. $25.30 and $64.70.
Place, 1st $8.80; 2nd $12.60.
Double Event 5/6 (6-3 and 6-5) Div. $6.40 and $20.90.

7—500 yd. flat.—1, Coquette; 2, Fairy Bells.
Also ran:—Reveille, Speed Cop, Lucky Jim, Kittywinks.
3½ lengths.—Time, 30.21.
Win, $32.80. Forecast (5-6) Div. $64.10.
Place, 1st $12.20; 2nd $8.30.
Double Event 6/7 (3-5 and 5-5) Div. $15.90 and $6.60.

8—500 yd. flat.—1, Crummie; 2, Fearless Foe.
Also ran:—Woosung, Barney, Our Hope, Rita Dale.
2 lengths.—Time, 30.05.
Win, $18.10. Forecast (4-2) Div. $65.50.
Place, 1st $11.40; 2nd $9.30.
Double Event 7/8 (5-4) Div. $41.50.

9—500 yd. flat.—1, Waysider Petticorn; 2, Jackie's Lady.
2½ lengths.—Time, 29.98.
Win, $30.40. Forecast (1-5) Div. $257.60.
Place, 1st $15.60; 2nd $21.50.
Double Event 8/9 (4-1) Div. $61.20.

10—500 yd. flat.—1, Moody Mask; 2, Jacko.
2½ lengths.—Time, 29.91.
Win, $71.80. Forecast (2-5) Div. $216.70.
Place, 1st $20.80; 2nd $12.70.
Double Event 9/10 (1-2) Div. $187.30.

11—500 yd. flat.—1, Messenger Boy; 2, Rosie O'Hara.
1 length.—Time, 29.96.
Win, $31.10. Forecast (1-4) Div. $80.30.
Place, 1st $12.60; 2nd $8.90.
Double Event 10/11 (2-1) Div. $147.50.

12—525 yd. flat.—1, Top Notcher; 2, Happy Troy.
A neck.—Time, 31.21.
Win, $25.60. Forecast (5-2) Div. $184.50.
Place, 1st $17.20; 2nd $19.90.
Double Event 11/12 (1-5) Div. $83.40.

13—525 yd. flat.—1, Creditor; 2, Belle O'Cathay.
1 length.—Time, 30.84.
Win, $18.70. Forecast (2-1) Div. $95.60.
Place, 1st $9.90; 2nd $14.90.
Double Event 12/13 (5-2) Div. $41.80.

14—600 yd. flat.—1, Chilly Eve; 2, Athos.
5 lengths.—Time, 35.30.
Win, $47.40. Forecast (3-5) Div. $69.80.
Place, 1st $11.20; 2nd $7.40.
Double Event 13/14 (2-3) Div. $53.10.

Rugger on the Race Course *"N.C.D.N." Photo.*

A big crowd turned out yesterday and saw the fighting French Forces XV defeated by the 1st XV of the S.R.U.F.C. Stourbe of the French team is in the foreground with Basset of the Club and others in close attendance.

Home Soccer Tables

ENGLISH LEAGUE, FIRST DIVISION

	P.	W.	D.	L.	F.	A.	Pts.
Derby	16	11	2	3	53	14	24
Everton	15	11	0	4	53	15	22
Leeds	15	9	2	4	28	23	20
Charlton	15	7	4	4	15	16	18
Liverpool	15	6	5	4	26	20	17
Middlesbrough	15	7	3	5	27	25	17
Bolton	15	6	4	5	24	21	16
Sunderland	15	6	3	6	18	18	15
Blackpool	15	5	5	5	22	18	15
Grimsby	15	5	5	5	16	20	15
Leicester	16	5	5	6	21	25	15
Wolverhampton	15	5	5	5	18	13	15
Portsmouth	15	5	4	6	18	26	14
Arsenal	15	4	6	5	16	16	14
Preston	15	5	4	6	20	26	14
Chelsea	15	5	3	7	26	32	13
Stoke	15	4	5	6	19	29	13
Aston Villa	15	5	3	7	23	24	13
Huddersfield	16	5	3	8	21	25	13
Brentford	15	4	3	8	18	29	11
Manchester	15	3	4	8	18	25	10
Birmingham	16	4	2	10	22	30	10

SECOND DIVISION

Fulham	16	8	5	3	27	15	21
Blackburn	16	9	2	5	35	24	20
Newcastle	16	9	2	5	29	19	20
West Brom	16	9	1	6	40	32	19
Sheffield U.	15	7	5	3	23	15	19
Tottenham	15	6	5	5	25	23	17
Millwall	15	7	3	5	31	16	17
Luton T.	15	7	3	5	26	25	17
Bradford	15	6	5	4	26	26	17
West Ham	16	7	3	6	34	24	17
Coventry	15	6	4	5	17	19	16
Sheffield W.	15	6	4	5	32	26	16
Burnley	16	5	5	6	21	26	15
Plymouth	15	6	3	6	21	19	15
Chesterfield	15	6	2	7	17	22	14
Manchester	15	6	2	7	32	33	14
Bury	15	4	5	6	21	27	13
Southampton	15	5	2	8	22	28	12
Notts F.	15	3	4	8	15	29	10
Norwich	15	5	0	10	19	32	10
Swansea	15	1	2	6	17	33	10
Tranmere	15	3	1	11	17	34	7

THIRD DIVISION (NORTHERN)

Barnsley	16	11	2	3	38	18	24
Southport	15	9	5	1	34	12	23
Oldham	16	10	2	4	38	21	22
Crewe A.	16	10	1	5	37	24	21
Doncaster	16	8	5	3	36	22	21
Hull City	16	7	4	5	29	28	18
Bradford City	16	8	2	6	26	22	18
New Brighton	16	7	3	6	21	27	17
Chester	15	7	2	6	35	32	16
Barrow	16	7	2	7	31	32	16
Stockport	15	6	4	5	31	22	16
Rotherham	16	8	0	8	33	25	16
Halifax T.	16	5	4	7	14	19	15
Gateshead	15	5	4	6	32	26	14
Wrexham	16	7	0	9	23	35	14
Carlisle	15	5	2	8	22	36	12
Darlington	16	5	2	9	27	45	12
Rochdale	16	5	2	9	33	38	12
Lincoln City	16	4	4	8	23	41	12
York	15	4	3	8	19	25	11
Hartlepools	16	4	3	9	19	31	11
Accrington S.	16	1	3	12	6	37	5

THIRD DIVISION (SOUTHERN)

Newport	16	10	4	2	24	9	24
Crystal Palace	15	9	4	2	27	18	22
Aldershot	16	8	5	3	21	15	21
Reading	16	7	6	3	29	19	20
Queen's P.R.	15	7	5	3	35	18	19
Brighton	15	8	2	6	26	23	18
Swindon	15	7	3	5	24	19	17
Northampton	15	7	2	6	22	24	16
Mansfield	15	6	4	5	21	26	16
Port Vale	16	6	2	7	22	21	14
Exeter	15	5	4	6	22	32	14
Southend	15	6	2	7	26	27	14
Cardiff	15	5	4	6	22	23	14
Bournemouth	15	4	6	5	14	16	14
Watford	16	4	6	6	17	23	14
Bristol City	15	5	4	6	24	26	14
Notts C.	15	4	5	6	18	18	13
Clapton Orient	15	4	5	6	18	22	13
Torquay	15	4	4	7	26	23	12
Ipswich	15	4	3	8	13	22	11
Bristol Rovers	16	2	6	8	15	18	10
Walsall	15	1	4	10	12	27	6

SCOTTISH LEAGUE, FIRST DIVISION

Rangers	17	11	4	2	61	30	26
Hearts	17	10	1	6	44	33	21
Celtic	15	8	4	3	52	19	20
Kilmarnock	17	7	6	4	29	32	20
Partick	17	9	2	6	31	30	20
Queen O'South	16	8	3	5	29	25	19
Hibernian	17	9	1	7	37	30	19
Motherwell	17	8	3	6	42	38	19
Aberdeen	17	8	2	7	38	27	18
Hamilton	17	8	2	7	28	34	18
Clyde	16	8	1	7	33	28	17
Ayr United	17	6	4	7	31	35	16
St. Mirren	17	5	5	7	26	32	15
Falkirk	17	5	5	7	25	34	15
St. Johnstone	17	6	3	8	35	40	15
Queen's Park	16	6	3	7	26	31	15
Third Lanark	16	5	4	7	39	44	14
Raith Rovers	17	5	0	12	27	44	10
Arbroath	17	2	5	10	18	39	9
Albion	17	3	2	12	25	50	8

Wilson Named as New Cincinnati Coach

Expected to Be Valuable Addition to Club

Cincinnati, Nov. 18.

Jimmy Wilson, who for five years sought unsuccessfully to mould a pennant-winning club out of the tail-end Philadelphia Phillies, has been signed to succeed Eddie Roush as coach of the Cincinnati Reds, it was announced today.

Because his new job does not entail the difficulties which beset the path of a major-league manager, Wilson is expected to be a valuable addition to the Red staff. He is not only one of the most popular baseball players ever turned out—at least in his home town of Philadelphia—but there is a general confidence in his ability.

Throughout his playing career, Wilson has been noted for his understanding of pitchers and his ability to draw from hurlers their best efforts. As a result, he will probably have a free hand in directing the work of the pitching staff.

Wilson first appeared as a baseball player while attending the Paul Potter Grammar School in Philadelphia. Then he got a job catching for the Harrowgate team, a leading club in the local twilight circle.

His first job in organized baseball was with the New Haven team in the Eastern League where he played from 1920 to 1922. Then, he was purchased by Philadelphia and played with the Phillies for five years before being traded in May, 1928, to the St. Louis Cards.

He played in three World Series, all of them with St. Louis. Those were in 1928, 1930 and 1931.

Wilson was succeeded as Manager of the Phillies by Doc Prothro, former manager of the Little Rock team. Wilson resigned on October 4, on the eve of the world's series between the Cubs and the Yankees. —United Press.

Seaforths Toy with Hockey Club "B"

Highlanders Score Eleven Goals at Race Course

The Seaforth Highlanders piled up a lop-sided score against the Shanghai Hockey Club "B" in another senior game at the Race Course. The soldiers scored six times in the first half and added five more in the second session.

Throughout the game the Club eleven played helplessly and looked as if they were beginners. Cheney, centre-forward, drew first blood. Davis followed with a second shot and the two players scored again to take a 4-0 lead in the first 20 minutes. Davis netted the fifth goal. Before half-time Cheney added a sixth goal.

In the second half play continued to be one-sided. MacDonald cut in from the right to chalk up the seventh point. Cheney tallied again. Yardley, a half-back, registered the ninth shot.

In the closing stages Cheney once more brought his stick into action. He rifled two shots in succession and made good on both occasions. After the eleventh goal the soldiers attempted to make the score a round dozen. Due to eagerness, they spoiled all the chances.

Teams were:—

SEAFORTHS:—Wilson, Capt. Richie, Vickers, Thomson, Aberdien, Yardley, MacDonald, Davis, Cheney, Cunningham, Lt. MacLaglen.

S.H.C. "B":—J. Pullen, E. H. Brazel, J. C. Blakelock, F. C. Warburton, E. W. Price, W. M. Macoustra, J. G. Read, L. Underwood, A. Maude, R. J. Parsons, E. B. Bannister.

Two games in the Second Division were played. The S.M. Police scored a 6-2 victory over the Junior Athletic Club while the Khalsa Sporting Association trounced the Sikh Police by 2-0.

In the Women's League Second Division the Jewish team routed the German "B" by 6-0.

Only Rangers Keep Clean Record

Detroit Red Wings Flap To Surprise Victory as Ice Hockey Wars Rage

New York, Nov. 18.

The New York Rangers nipped the champions, the Chicago Black Hawks, 1-0, tonight and became the only undefeated team in the national ice hockey league.

The fast-scoring Rangers treated a crowd of 12,404 spectators to a grand exhibition of perfect passing as they cut through the defence of the powerful Black Hawks, who won the Stanley Cup last year after one of the most sensational spurts in the play-off series.

Conceded hardly a chance to reach the top, the third-place Black Hawks fought their way to the finals in the Stanley Cup series and came through to cop the coveted trophy symbolic of world professional hockey supremacy.

But the Black Hawks were up against a fighting and determined team tonight which revealed a wall-like defence and a tricky, deadly offense. Although the Hawks also presented a stout defence and threatened frequently they did not possess the dash and fire of their foes.

Red Wings Win

The defeat of the Black Hawks was not the only upset of the professional league tonight, for the lowly Detroit Red Wings registered their first victory in five starts.

Playing at Montreal, the Red Wings, who finished in the last place last year after winning the Stanley Cup for two successive years, crushed the Montreal Canadians in an amazing display of power, 7-1.

After suffering their fourth straight defeat this season earlier this week, the Red Wings were threatened with a drastic shakeup and changes in the lineup.

The threats and the shifts in position apparently worked like a charm, for the Red Wings tonight showed flashes of the form which made them the champions only two years ago.

They took the Canadians by surprise and smashed in five goals before the French-Canadians could recover. All five goals were scored in the first period.

New Threat

The Toronto Maple Leafs became a threat in the league race by taking a triumph from the New York Americans at New York's Madison Square Garden, 1-0.

Victory was largely due to Regis Kelly who cut through and put in the winning and only goal of the encounter in the third period.

By virtue of their victory, the Maple Leafs assumed second place in the standings.—United Press.

Rugby Union County Championships

Northumberland Trounced By Lancashire

London, Nov. 20.

In a Rugby Union County Championship match at Newcastle yesterday, Lancashire trounced Northumberland by 39 points to 11, while at Otley, Yorkshire made good against Durham by 20-11.

In the third Championship engagement, Cheshire defeated Cumberland by 14 points to nil.

Results of club matches were:

Bedford 37, St. Bart's Hospital 0
Blackheath 5, Cambridge University 6
Bristol 9, Devonport Services 3
Gloucester 3, Bath 5
Harlequins 12, Oxford University 7
Leicester 6, Coventry 0
Liverpool 9, Bradford 3
London Scottish 12, Richmond 9
London Welsh 10, Newport 3
Northampton 3, Pontypool 0
Rossyln Park 14, Guy's Hospital 0
Wasps 3, U.S., Portsmouth 0
Aberavon 6, Penarth 0
Crosskeys 0, Bridgend 0
Headingley 16, Northern 11
Neath 9, Llanelly 3
Swansea 19, Cardiff 14
Edinburgh Acas 0, Stewartonians 3
Glasgow Acas 3, Herriotonians 8
—Reuter.

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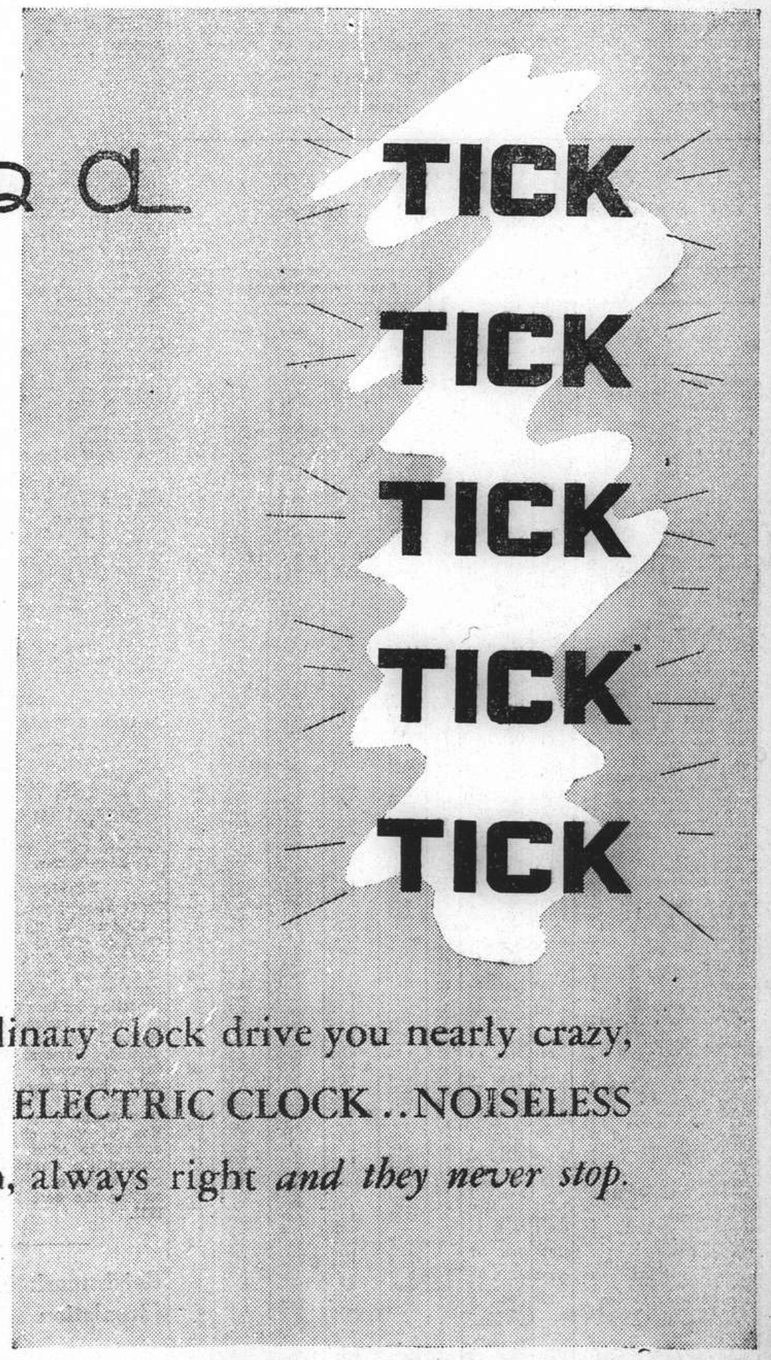

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Money and Exchange

Foreign Money Rates

London: Nov. 19.

Fine Bank Bills	3 months	0¾%
Bank Bills,	6 months	0⅞%
Fine Trade Bills,	3 months	2¼%
Fine Trade Bills,	6 months	3⅛%
Call Money		0½%

New York: Closed.—Reuter.

Foreign Exchanges

Bombay Rupee T. T. on: Nov. 19.

Japan	78⅝	London	1/5 3/32
New York	285¾	2 months	
Shanghai	47½	,, (sellers)	1/5 5/32
Hongkong	86	,, (buyers)	1/5 3/32

London £ Sterling T. T. on:

New York	470.00	Shanghai	8½d.
Paris	178.65	Bombay	1/5 5/8
Berlin	11.73	Hongkong	1/3
Amsterdam	8.65⅛	Singapore	2/4
Brussels	27.80½	Yokohama	1/2
Madrid	100.00	,, (buying)	unq.
Milan	89.25	C'slovakia	137.50S.
Berne	20.81	S—Sellers	

New York U.S.$ T. T. on:

Berlin	40.07	Japan	27.43
Spain	Unq.	Shanghai	16.15
Holland	54.35	Austria	Unq.
Paris	2.62⅞	C'slovakia	3.42
Brussels	16.90½	Hungary	19.80
Italy	5.26¼	Rumania	0.74
S'zerland	22.59	Yugo Slavia	2.30
Sweden	24.22	Greece	0.83⅜
Norway	23.62	Bulgaria	1.25
Denmark	20.98	Finland	2.08½
Montreal	99.150	Poland	18.85
Brazil	5.50		

London	4.70 1/16
,, Demand	4.69 13/16
,, Bankers' 60 days bills	4.69 1/8
,, Commercial 60 days bills	4.69 1/16
Buenos Aires, Paper	29.15
Buenos Aires, Paper Market Rate	22.91
Montreal on London	4.74¼

—Reuter.

London Money Market

London, Nov. 19.

With dearer monetary conditions prevailing in the London money market during the past week, owing to some shortage of available lending capital, discount brokers took the opportunity of obtaining their supply of Treasury Bills on better terms.

Consequently, the Government had to concede an average of 15/- per cent., against 10/6 per cent. last week. —Reuter.

Berlin Bourse

Berlin, Nov. 19.

The offer by far exceeded the demand when the bourse opened today, and as both private investors and operators at first were apathic, prices tended downwards. Later, however, in the case of certain favourite shares a complete change set in. Hoesch Steelworks, United Steel Work, Bemberg Rayon, AEG. Electrics and German Dye Trusts all recovering appreciably.

Among the shares to finish weaker were Gelsenkirchen Water which dropped 4¼ and North German Lloyd which went down 1 per cent.

Reichs Old Liquidation Loan weakened ⅛ to 130½. City loans were weak, gold mortgage bonds better, averaging 100 again. Siemens & Halske bonds went down 2 to 178 while AEG. bonds improved ⅜ to 102⅝.—Trans-Ocean.

Reichsmark Rates

Berlin, Nov. 19.

Reichsmark quotations without guarantee. New York 40.07, Paris —.—, Amsterdam 73.77, London 11.74.

Paris quoted sterling at 178.68 to 178.74 and the U.S. dollar at 38.00.—Trans-Ocean.

U.S. Commodities

Saturday's Closing Quotations

New York, Nov. 19.

The cotton market early advanced on trade and speculative buying, but later declined on liuidation, lower Liverpool advices and profit-taking. Finally, the market further eased on renewed liquidation and Southern hedge-selling but closed steady, with quotations ranging from unchanged to 4 points down.

Prices in the rubber market steadied with London advices and light mixed trading. Commission houses bought on balance, while there was also some trade buying. At the last call over, gains of 7 to 16 points were recorded.

Wheat prices in Chicago were early under pressure of December liquidation, with the market displaying feeble rallying power relative to the easiness of Liverpool advices, enlarged Argentine crop ideas, the flow of European demand being larger than normal and speculative open interest being concentrated on the long side. At the final bell, losses of ⅞ to 1 cent were registered.

The sugar market closed quiet, with scattered covering operations on steady London advices meeting with liquidation. Closing quotations were from a ½ to 1 point down.

New York Cotton		New York Rubber	
Dec.	8.59-59 —01	Dec.	16.05-08 +13
Jan.	8.49 N —04		B/A
Mar.	8.42-42 —03	Jan.	16.00-00 +07
May	8.23-23 —04	Mar.	16.04-06 +10
July	8.03-03 —04	May	16.04-05 +16
Oct.	7.75-75 unc.		

New York Sugar No. 4

Mar.	1.09B-09½A	—½
May	1.11B-11½A	—½

Chicago Wheat		Chicago Corn	
Dec.	63⅛-63 —1	Dec.	46¾-46⅞ —1
May	65½-65⅜ —⅞	May	50½-50⅝ —⅜

Winnipeg Wheat		Montreal Silver	
Dec.	58½-58½ —1⅛	Nov. 41.00 B	—1.50
May	61⅜-61½ —1		

B—Bid. A—Asked.—Reuter.

British Commodities

Saturday's Closing Quotations

London, Nov. 19.

Commodities remained quiet featureless.—Reuter.

London Rubber: Spot buyers 7⅛ —⅛; sellers 8 —⅛; Dec. del. buyers 7 15/16 —⅛; sellers 8 —⅛.

London Sugar (buyers) Dec. 5/9 —¼; March 5/9¾ —¼; May 5/10¼ —¼.

Liverpool Cotton: American Futures: Nov. 4.77 —3; Jan. 4.79 —3; Mar. 4.81 —4; May 4.79 —4. Egyptian Futures (Giza, F.G.F. No. 7) Nov. 7.62 —5; Jan. 7.77 —3; Mar. 7.70 —3; May 7.66 —3.

London Metals closed.—Reuter.

Bombay Silver Stocks

Bombay, Nov. 19.

Stocks of Silver in Bombay on Nov. 19, compared with the two previous weeks:—

Nov. 5 4,500, Nov. 12 4,500 Nov. 19 4,500 Bars.

N.B. The above figures include both English Bar and Indian Mint Silver.—Reuter.

British Rubber Stocks Forecasts

London, Nov. 18.

The average of market forecasts of this week's stocks of rubber in London and Liverpool, compared with last week's official figures, indicate decreases of 300 tons and 1,000 tons respectively.—Reuter.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

Statistical Data Concerning Leading Stocks

By courtesy of Swan, Culbertson & Fritz

Name of Stock	Dividends: Annual rate $	Dividends: Date of last quarterly payment	Book value	Earnings or Deficits: 5 yr Average 1929-33	1934	1936	1937	Yield on basis of price in %
No par value except where indicated								
Adams Express	0.40	Irregular	13	—	nil	0.50	0.62	4
Allegheny Ludlum Steel	—	—	21	—	0.99	2.13	2.10	nil
Allis Chalmers	2.62½	Irregular	32	—	D0.51	2.27	4.42	6
American can 25	4	Feb. 15	61	6.29	6.72	5.80	6.08	4
Am. and Foreign Power	—	—	—	1.43	D11.12	D 9.45	D 8.77	nil
Am. and For.P. $7 cum. Prof.	—	—	110	23.49	2.46	5.84	7.11	nil
Am. Locomotive	—	—	12	4.20	D 6.02	D 1.71	4.75	nil
Am. Radiator	0.30†	Omitted	12	1.84	0.11	0.70	0.68	—
Am. Rolling Mill	0.90†	Omitted	33	2.46	0.50	2.25	2.55	—
American Smelting	3.25†	Feb. 28	52	7.27	1.63	6.85	6.54	6
Am. Tel. and Tel. 100	9	Jan. 15	128	1.30	5.66	8.80	9.76	6
Am. Tob. "B" 25	5	Mar. 1	27	6.00	4.46	3.71	5.04	6
Am. Waterworks	—	—	35	2.80	1.03	1.52	1.14	nil
Anaconda Copper 50	0.75†	Omitted	55	4.97	0.22	1.83	3.62	—
Atch., Top. & S. Fe 100	—	—	260	19.16	0.32	1.56	0.60	—
Auburn Automobiles	—	—	28	9.72	D16.21	D 6.67	D20.07	nil
Baltimore and Ohio 100	—	—	26	11.36	D 2.92	D 0.85	D 1.20	nil
Barber Asphalt (10)	0.75†	Irregular	32	—	D 0.77	1.14	1.91	4
Barnsdall Oil 5	1	Feb. 1	8	—	D 0.47	1.01	0.85	6
Bethlehem Steel	2.50†	Irregular	119	7 06	D 1.87	2.09	7.63	3
Boeing Airplane 5	0.40†	Irregular	6	—	D 0.43	0.32	0.45	1
Bklyn. Manh. Tran.	—	—	79	6.78	7.40	0.30	4.09	nil
Canadian Pacific Rly. 25	—	—	40	3.11	D 0.20	0.04	0.30	nil
Case, J. I. 100	5†	Irregular	134	14.53	D 7.38	12.36	13.98	6
Chase Nat. Bank 13.55	1.40	F.A. 1	31	4.04	2.02	2.24	2.03	4
Chesapeake & Ohio 25	3†	Jan. 1	51	5.67	3.67	5.72	4.43	9
Chrysler 5	3.75†	Irregular	28	4.69	2.19	14.25	11.66	5
Columbia Gas and Electric	0.25†	Omitted	16	2.00	0.23	0.55	0.57	—
Commercial Solvents	0.30†	Omitted	6	1.20	0.89	0.85	0.60	—
Commonwealth & Southern	—	—	5	0.67	D 0.04	0.13	0.18	nil
Consol'dated Edison	2	Mar. 15	52	4.50	2.18	2.33	2.17	6
Consolidated Oil	0.80	Feb. 15	18	—	D 0.02	1.18	1.48	9
Continental Oil	1*	Jan. 30	17	0.64	1.03	1.78	2.97	3*
Corn Products 25	3	Jan. 20	34	4.41	3.10	3.86	2.52	5
Distillers Corp. Seagrams	2	Mar. 15	13	nil	0.54	2.42	3.49	9
Douglas Aircraft 3	3	Irregular	12	1.50	0.08	1.74	1.90	5
Dupont de Nemours 10	3.75†	Mar. 15	36	5.17	3.63	7.54	7.27	3
Eagle Picher Lead 10	0.20†	Irregular	13	—	D 0.21	0.74	0.40	2
Electric Bond & Share 5	—	—	27	2.15	0.21	0.17	0.42	nil
Elec. Bond & Share $6 Pref	6	Feb. 1	110	—	5.55	6.42	7.31	9
Flintkote	0.25†	Omitted	13	—	0.80	1.75	1.50	—
General Electric 10	1.70*	Jan. 25	11	1.81	0.59	1.52	2.21	4
General Motors 10	2.25†	Mar. 12	16	4.83	2.00	5.36	4.38	4
General Railway Signal	0.75†	Omitted	14	7.99	D 1.50	0.17	1.58	—
Glidden	1.30†	Omitted	22	—	1.68	3.29	2.62	—
Goodrich Rubber 23	0.50†	Omitted	23	2.09	0.41	4.03	D 2.25	—
Goodyear Tire and Rubber	1.25†	Irregular	21	5.12	D 0.66	3.90	1.95	3
Great Northern Ry. Pfd. 2	2	Irregular	157	9.47	D 0.43	3.99	4.04	8
Greyhound	1.30†	Jan. 1	7	D0.16	0.58	1.50	1.59	7
Hecker Products	0.60	Feb. 1	13	3.58	0.48	0.71	0.89	6
Int. Nickel	2*	Mar. 30	12	0.83	1.15	2.40	3.31	4
Int. Tel. and Tel	—		38	3.45	0.33	0.63	1.60	nil
Kennecott	1.75*	Mar. 30	29	3.67	0.53	2.36	4.60	4
Loew's Inc.	3.00	Mar. 30	51	6.71	4.50	6.73	8.47	5
Montgomery Ward	1.50†	Apr. 15	28	2.51	1.72	3.63	3.41	3
Nat. City Bank N.Y. 12½	1	F. A. 1	25	4.12	2.00	2.10	2.00	4
Nat. Dairy Products	1	Jan. 2	12	3.58	0.94	2.01	1.53	8
National Distillers	2*	Feb. 1	18	—	5.51	3.81	3.86	7
Nat. Power and Light	0.60	Mar. 1	21	1.74	0.85	0.99	1.36	7
New York Central	—	—	142	12.63	D 1.54	1.79	0.99	nil
North American Co.	1.20*	Jan. 2	22	4.47	1.04	1.74	1.95	5
Pacific Gas and Electric 25	2*	Jan. 16	28	2.83	1.52	2.55	2.71	7
Pacific Lighting	3*	Feb. 15	9	2.70	3.72	3.88	4.10	7*
Packard Motors	0.10†	Irregular	3	1.11	D 0.49	0.47	0.20	2
Paramount Pictures 1	—	—	15	—	—	1.18	1.96	nil
Pennsylvania Railroad 50	0.75†	Irregular	89	7.01	1.43	2.94	2.07	3
Phillips Petroleum	2*	Mar. 1	34	3.69	1.38	4.02	5.42	5*
Public Service of N.J.	2.30†	Mar. 30	31	3.15	2.95	2.80	2.61	7
Pure Oil 25	0.25	Irregular	21	1.77	D 0.87	1.63	2.15	2
Radio Corp.	0.30	Irregular	11	1.32	D 0.10	0.21	0.41	3
Reynolds Tobacco "B"	3†	Jan. 1	14	3.04	2.15	2.93	2.82	7
Schenley 5	1.25†	Omitted	26	—	6.64	7.05	5.04	—
Sears Roebuck	5.50†	Mar. 16	40	5.03	3.13	5.60	5.58	7
Socony Vacuum Corp. 15	0.80†	M. S 15	20	—	0.76	1.38	1.82	6
Southern Pacific 100	—	—	196	10.19	0.11	3.84	0.20	nil
Standard Brands	0. 625	Jan. 2	4	1.53	1.03	1.11	0.71	8
Standard Gas & Electric	—	—	50	6.59	D 1.95	D 0.99	D 1.33	nil
Standard Oil of N.J. 25	2.25†	J. D. 15	44	3.47	1.76	3.73	5.64	4
Texas Gulf Sulphur	2	Mar. 15	16	5.21	1.81	2.56	3.02	6
Union Carbide & Carbon	2.40†	Jan. 2	26	3.40	2.28	4.14	4.81	3
Union Pacific Railway 100	6	Jan. 2	198	17.53	6.63	8.20	6.15	6
United Aircraft 5	1†	Irregular	7	—	D 0.01	0.76	1.52	3
United Airlines 5	—	—	8	—	D 2.19	0.26	D 0.52	nil
United Corp.	0.20	Irregular	7	0.55	0.17	0.19	0.22	6
United Gas Improvement	1	Mar. 23	11	1.29	1.19	1.09	1.09	8
U.S. Indus. Alcohol	—	—	33	7.57	4.04	D 0.20	D 1.17	nil
U.S. Rubber 10	—	—	13	nil	D 3.15	3.31	2.21	nil
U.S. Steel	1†	Irregular	140	12.90	D 5.39	2.91	8.01	2
Vanadium	1†	Irregular	26	4.59	D 2.29	0.40	2.22	4
Warner Bros. Pictures 5	—	—	15	1.84	D 0.77	0.75	1.48	nil
Westinghouse Elec. 50	5†	Feb. 28	67	7.22	D 0.04	5.67	7.53	4

*Plus extras D Deficit E Est. †Dividends are for the latest four quarters

New York Stocks

Saturday's Closing Quotations

New York, Nov. 19.

Stock prices on Wall Street today finished with gains mostly up to about 1 point. Trading was very dull with buyers showing no aggressiveness, while the action of the market attracted renewed selling. Aircrafts ruled firm on predictions that air armaments will be pushed up to around 9,000 fighting planes, while steels were narrowly irregular on indications of a temporary decline in mill activity next week. Motors were sustained by the comments of the Vice President of the Automobile Manufacturers Association to the effect that the automobile show was the best selling affair in years. Meanwhile, the immediate trend is uncertain, pending more definite indications that the technical correction has run its course. The turnover today amounted to 440,000 shares.

Dow-Jones Averages

	High	Low	Close	Changes
30 Indust.	150.20	149.98	150.38	+0.45
20 Rails	31.10	30.77	30.94	+0.14
15 Utilities	23.02	22.85	22.94	—0.01
40 Bonds	——	——	90.01	+0.01
11 Commod.	——	——	48.25	—0.16

	Nov. 18	19.
Adams Express	11¼	11½
Alleghany Ludlum Steel	25⅝	26
Allis Chalmers	48	48½
Amerada Corp.	71⅝	72
Amer. Can	96⅜	97
Amer. & Foreign Power	3½	3⅝
,, ,, $7 pfd.	17	B 16
Amer. Locomotive	26	25½
Amer. Metal	39½	39⅛
Amer. Radiator	16⅜	16¼
Amer. Rolling Mill	21¾	22
Amer. Smelting	52¼	52½
Amer. Sugar Refining	24½	B 24
Amer. Tel. & Tel.	147⅜	147¾
Amer. Tobacco "B"	87½	87⅞
Amer. Waterworks	13⅛	13
Anaconda Copper	34¼	34⅜
Atchison T. & S. Fe.	38⅞	39
Auburn Auto	4⅜	4
Baltimore & Ohio	7⅜	7⅛
Baltimore & Ohioa		
Barber Asphalt Co.	19⅝	20
Barnsdall Oil	17½	17⅜
Bethlehem Steel	72¾	72½
Boeing Airplane Co.	31¾	31⅝
Borg Warner	32	31⅝
Briggs Manufacturing	31¼	31¾
Brooklyn-Manhattan Trans.	12½	13
Brooklyn-Manhattan Trans.	36½	37½
Canadian Pacific Rly.	6⅛	6⅜
Case, J.I.	90⅜	90½
Chase National Bank	B 30¼	
Chesapeake & Ohio	33⅛	33⅛
Chrysler	80½	81¾
Columbia Gas & Elect.	7	7⅛
,, ,, 6% "A" pfd.	77	B 76
Commercial Credit	55	55⅛
Commonwealth & Southern	1⅝	1¾
,, ,, $6 cum pfd.	49	B 49⅛
Consolidated Edison	31	30⅝
Consolidated Oil	9	8⅞
Continental Can.	33¾	39
Continental Oil	29⅞	29½
Corn Products	65½	65¾
Curtiss Wright	6½	6¾
Curtiss Wright "A"	27⅛	27⅜
Distillers Corp.	21⅛	21¼
Douglas Aircraft	66⅛	66½
Du Pont de Nemours	144⅜	144
Eagle Picher Lead	12½	13
Elect. Bond & Share	11	11
,, ,, $5 pfd.	59¼	B 58¾
,, ,, $6 pfd.	65	65¼
Elect. Power & Light	36¾	36¾
Flintkote	25¾	25¾
Gen. Amer. Transport	52⅛	53
Gen. Electric	43¾	43⅝
Gen. Motors	49¼	49⅛
Gen. Rly. Signal	23	23½
Glidden	25½	25½
Goodrich	23½	23½
Goodrich pfd.	65¼	65⅝
Goodyear Tire & Rubber	32⅜	32⅛
Great Nthrn. Iron Ore	14	15⅜
Great Nthrn Rly. pfd.	25⅛	25¾
Great Western Sugar	29	28⅞
Greyhound Corp	15⅛	15½
Hecker Products	10	10⅛
Homestake Mining	59⅞	59¾
International Nickel	53	53
International Tel & Tel.	9⅜	9⅛
Johns Manville	100⅜	B 100⅛
Kennecott	44¼	44⅜
Libby-Owens-Ford Glass	54½	54¼
Lockheed Aircraft	28⅛	29¼
Loews Inc.	58¼	58¾
Macy, R.H.	——	——
Manhattan Shirt Co.	B 13	B 13
Martin, Glen	32½	33
McKesson & Rob. Inc. $3	39⅜	B 39⅜
Monsanto Chemical	102¾	101⅛
Montgomery Ward	49⅜	50
National City Bank	B 23½	B 23½
National Dairy Products	13⅜	13⅜
National Distillers	27⅛	27½
National Gypsum	14⅛	14½
National Power & Light	8½	8⅛
National Lead	26⅜	26¾
National Supply of Penn.	18	18
New York Central	18¾	18⅞
North American Aviation	15⅞	16
North American	22⅞	22⅜
Northern Pacific	12	11⅞
Pacific Gas & Elec.	28⅞	28⅜
Pacific Lighting	40¾	41⅞
Packard Motors	5	5
Paramount Pictures	10¾	10⅞
Pennsylvania Railroad	21⅜	21½
Phillips Petroleum	40	40
Public Service of N.J.	33	32¾
Pure Oil	10⅛	10⅛
Radio Corp. of Amer.	7⅞	8
Republic Steel	23⅞	24
Reynolds Tobacco "B"	44½	44½
Schenley	20¼	20½
Schenley 5½% pfd.	25	——
Sears Roebuck	73	73⅛
Shell Union Oil	14⅝	14½
Socony-Vacuum	13	13
Southern Pacific	18¾	18⅞
Southern Rly. $5 pfd.	27½	27⅜
Standard Brands	7⅛	7⅛
Standard Gas & Elec.	4	4
Standard Oil of N.J.	52¼	52⅛
Stone & Webster	14⅜	14⅜
Swift International	27¾	27¾
Technicolor	20⅞	20⅞
Texas Corp	43½	43⅞
Texas Gulf Sulphur	32⅝	32⅛
Tfieth Century Fox Film	26¾	27
,, ,, $1½ pfd.	35¼	——
Union Carbide & Carbon	86½	87
Union Pacific	95¼	unq.
United Aircraft	36¾	36⅞
United Airline Trans	12¼	12¼
United Corp	3⅜	3¼
United Corp. $3 cum.	34⅜	unq
United Gas Corp.	3½	3⅜
United Gas Improvement	11½	11¾
Un. S. Rubber	49¾	50½
U. S. Rubber 8% pfd.	105¼	107
U. S. Steel	65⅞	66⅜
Vanadium	25⅜	25½
Warner Bros. Pictures	6¼	6¼
Westinghouse Electric	116¾	116½
Woodward Iron	25	25

BONDS

American & Foreign Power	53¼	53¼
Brazil	9⅞	10¼
Baltimore & Ohio	17¾	18⅛
Cities Service Power & Light	74	73½
Erie R.R.	12⅜	12⅝
Int. Tel. & Tel. 4½s.	100¼	100¼
Int. Tel. & Tel. 5s.	69	69
New England Gas & Elec.	56¾	unq
Peru 6s 1961	10	10
Southern Pacific	53¼	53
Standard Gas & Elec.	6⅞	unq

B—Bid.—Reuter.

Dow-Jones Summary

By Courtesy of Swan, Culbertson & Fritz

Traders continued to adopt a cautious attitude on the Stock Exchange today. Prices moved narrowly in a session of quiet trading. Market news was mixed: steel centres are reporting declines for next week, and, in several instances, a dip in the National rate of steel output is indicated. However, experts feel that this downward adjustment would only be temporary. Favourable factors today included: a sharp rise in Department Store sales; a continuation of very cheerful reports of automobile sales for October; and, construction awards being 75 per cent. ahead of October, 1937, representing the best level since March, 1931.

Reichsmark Note Circulation

Berlin, Nov. 18.

A total note circulation of 7,208,000,000 reichsmarks was revealed in the returns of the German Reichsbank for the week ended November 15.

This represents a decrease of 215,000,000 reichsmarks as compared with the previous week.—Reuter.

Industrial Recovery In Britain

October Figures Highest Of Present Year

London, Nov. 20.

In the course of observations on the general trade position, the President of the Board of Trade, Mr. Oliver Stanley, at a dinner of the British Electrical Manufacturers Association, said that after exceptional industrial prosperity last year, there had been, during the spring, a decided recession, one cause of which was the economic collapse in the United States.

Yet in August, there was a number of signs, unconnected with that cause which showed that the recession was flattening out. There came the crisis, which had on most industries an immediate and paralysing effect. That crisis had passed, and the October figures were a decided improvement upon any monthly figures for the present year.

There was no doubt that in many industries excessible stocks—built up in 1937 in anticipation of a boom which turned into recession—had been largely reduced, and in some cases eliminated. Signs pointed to a potential recovery of not inconsiderable kind in the industries of this country. It all depended, however, upon the recovery of confidence. No industry could prosper in the spirit of tension such as existed in October.

Competition With World

Mr. Stanley referred to the unification, regimentation and control of competing industries in other nations, and continued: "I believe that, even today, man for man, firm for firm, and industry for industry, we can stand up to any competition from any country in the world. But it is not a case today of firm against firm but of firm against industry and of firm against country. Very often you are competing against the resources of 80,000,000 people, and no firm, however, great its resources, can hope to do that.

"We do not want slavishly to adopt the technique of these countries. But surely we can find some intervening method, some form of voluntary co-operation, to give ourselves a chance of meeting competition of that kind on a fair basis.

"What we would like to see is an arrangement between countries which would be fair, both to them and to us, and would give both a chance of trade in neutral markets which would give a fair return."—Wireless through Reuter.

German Tax Revenue Rising

Berlin, Nov. 18.

According to figures just published here, the Reichs revenue from taxes for the second quarter of the current year (July-September) shows a further substantial advance in comparison with last year. Total revenue for the three months amounted to 4,600,000,000 Reichsmarks against 3,700,000,000, an increase of 900,000,000. Property and direct taxes yielded 3,500,000,000 Reichsmarks against 2,700,000,000 last year, and excise and indirect taxes brought in 1,160,000,000 Reichsmarks compared with 1,040,000,000. These figures include revenue from certain Austrian taxes such as the Corporation, Bill, Transport and Export of Capital taxes.

Income tax yield went up by 330,900,000 Reichsmarks, the main increase being from higher incomes which contributed 264,200,000 Reichsmarks more than in the previous year. Income tax on wages produced 60,900,000 Reichsmarksk more, and the remaining 5,800,000 Reichsmarks represent increased revenue from unearned income.

Corporation tax revenue went up by 234,200,000 Reichsmarks; turnover tax by 142,500,000; and transport tax by 9,200,000.

Last year 76,509 tax evaders were brought to book in Germany. Not only had they to pay 109,000,000 Reichsmarks of tax arrears, but a further 70,800,000 Reichsmarks were required in penalties.—Trans-Ocean.

Further British Gold Shipments Expected

New York, Nov. 19.

As a sequel to the large scale support of sterling this week, further shipments of gold on official account from Great Britain are expected to be made soon, which will still further swell the gold holdings of the United States.

Foreign exchange circles estimate that the British Equalization Fund lost approximately U.S.$1,000,000,000 worth of gold recently, which represents two-thirds of its total holdings as officially reported on March 31. However, with seasonal pressure ending, sterling will now be subject only to a flight of capital, due to the political unrest.

Thus, impartial observers are of the opinion that the British Control authorities are now almost in an impregnable position and could lose far more gold than the United States would receive—at least U.S.$1,000,000,000 worth.—Reuter.

Movements of Gold In U.K.

London, Nov. 18.

Movements of gold in the United Kingdom during the week-ended November 16 resulted in an excess of exports over imports by £7,735,000 compared with net exports of £2,052,000 during the previous week.

Imports during the period under review amounted to £632,000, including £39,000 from Britrish Africa; £317,000 from British India; £210,000 from Switzerland and £23,000 from Belgium. The previous week's imports totalled £1,916,000, of which £29,000 came from British Africa; £547,000 from British India; £91,000 from Switzerland, £841,000 from Germany £344,000 from Uruguay and £22,000 from New Zealand.

Exports during the period under review amounted £8,367,000 and included shipments to the following countries: The Netherlands £253,000; The United States £8,027,000; Switzerland £59,000 and Syria £21,000. Exports for the previous week were placed at £3,968,000; including £425,000 to the Netherlands; £3,138,000 to the United States; £82,000 to Switzerland £294,000 to Belgium and £27,000 to France.—Reuter.

South British Ins. Co., Ltd. Report

Report and Balance Sheet presented at the annual meeting of the shareholders held at the company's office, Shortland street, Auckland, on Thursday, October 27.

The directors have pleasure in submitting to the Shareholders the Statement of Accounts for the year ended August 31, 1938.

	£	s. d.
Net Premium Revenue amounts to	1,342,534	11 1
Interest and Rents received and accrued less Rates and Taxes thereon amount to	147,261	8 4
	1,489,795	19 5
After making full provision for Losses Outstanding and for taxation there is a Surplus in the Underwriting Account of	102,163	10 8
Income from Interest and Rents as above amounts to	147,261	8 4
This has been dealt with in the following manner—		
Amount transferred to Reserve Fund	6,640	0 0
Amount transferred to Investment Fluctuation Fund	23,360	0 0
Amount transferred to Contingencies Reserve	70,000	0 0
	100,000	0 0
Leaving available	149,424	19 0
Out of this an Interim Dividend of 8½d. per share was paid in April, 1938	73,074	10 0
and the Directors now recommend the payment of a Dividend of 8½d. per share (making the total distribution for the year 1/5 per share) which will absorb	73,074	10 0
	146,149	0 0
	3,275	19 0
To which must be added the Balance from August, 1937, less Dividend paid in October, 1937	227,725	10 0
Making to be carried to the new account	£231,001	9 0

U.S. Silver Imports

New York, Nov. 18.

Silver to a total value of $15,826,000 was imported by the United States during the week ended November 11 compared with $1,648,000 during the previous week.

Consignments of the white metal during the period under review were received from the following principal sources: $130,000 from Canada; $584,000 from Mexico; $20,000 from the Philippines; $7,000 from Chile: $102,000 from Peru; $10,654,000 from the United Kingdom; $21,000 from Japan; $4,300,000 from France; $1,000 from Nicaragua; $5,000 from Turkey and $2,000 from Malta, Gozo and Cyprus.

Imports during the previous week came from the following countries: $267,000 from Canada; $567,000 from Mexico; $8,000 from the Philippines; $3.000 from Chile; $127.000 from Peru; $113,000 from British Malaya; $407,000 from the United Kingdom; $6,000 from British Honduras; $71,000 from Hounduras; $3,000 from Salvador; $8,000 from Bolivia; $66,000 from Japan and $2,000 from Australia.—Reuter.

Japan's Trade Balance Favourable

Tokyo, Nov. 20.

Revealing a favourable trade balance of Y.8,228,000 for the second ten days of November, the Finance Ministry announced the export figures at Y.90,505,000 as against imports of Y.82,277,000. An export excess of Y.19,013,000 was noted since January to date.—Domei.

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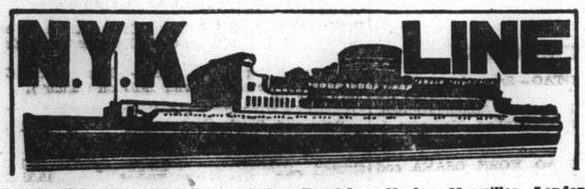

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HAKUSAN MARU	Jan. 10

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TERUKUNI MARU	Nov. 22
†TAIYO MARU	Nov. 26
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	BELLEROPHON	Dec. 19	Havre, Liverpool and Bromborough
B*	MENESTHEUS	Dec. 24	M'lles, London, R'dam, H'burg, and Glasgow
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		From	Due	Sails	For
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B	MENESTHEUS	Liverpool	Nov. 25	Nov. 26	Japan Ports
C	IXION	Pacific Coast	Dec. 4	Dec. 6	Hongkong
	ANTILOCHUS	Gdynia	Dec. 9	Dec. 10	Taku Bar, Dairen & Japan
A	AENEAS	Liverpool	Dec. 10	Dec. 11	Japan Ports
C	HELENUS	Liverpool	Dec. 20	Dec. 21	Dairen
C	PHEMIUS	New York	Dec. 20	Dec. 21	Hongkong
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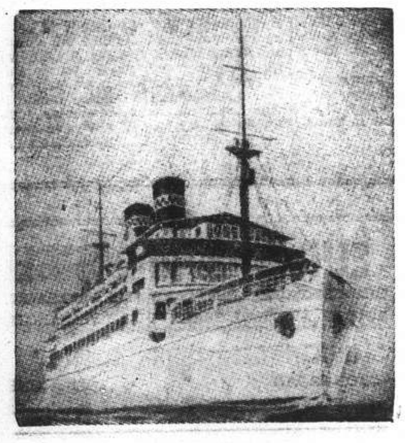

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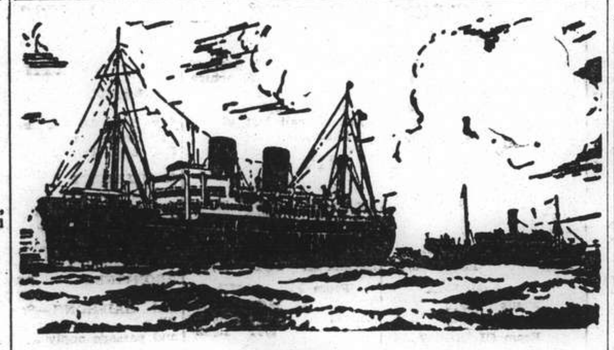

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	20	CORFU	15,000
	27	*BANGALORE	6,100

	From Shanghai		Tonnage
Jan. 1939	3	CHITRAL	15,000
	17	CARTHAGE	15,000
	24	*BHUTAN	6,100
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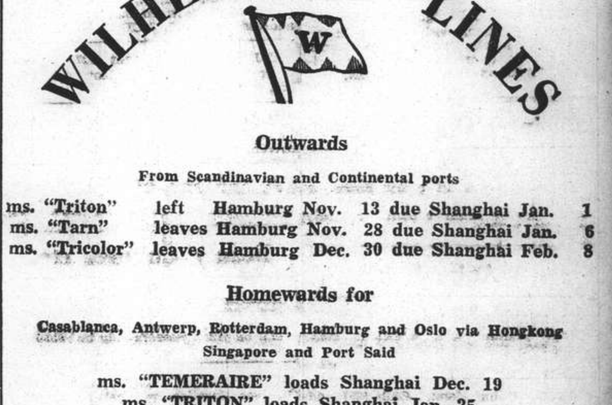

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Ano Vathy	—	Buoys 17a-18
Anyo M.	Jap.	W.S.W
Chien Shi	—	Buoys 2-3
Chinyang M.	Jap.	Y.P.D.W.
Com. Paolini	Ital.	K.L.Y.W.
Data	Port.	McK.W.
Dragao	Port.	—
Durban M.	Jap.	H.W.
Echidna	—	C.D.W.
Elbhof	Ger.	K.L.Y.W.
Fongshan M.	Jap.	Buoys 24-25
Fooksing	Br.	Y.P.D.W.
G. Padula	Ital.	C.N.C.B.1-2
Hartlebury	Br.	Buoys 32-33
Hifukwang	Br.	Y.P.D.W.
Ikwang	Br.	A.P.C.L.W.
Ingeren	Nor.	Buoys 33-34
Jenny Moller	Br.	K.M.A.W.P.
Kaiping	Br.	M.B.K.U.W.
Kaysieg	—	I.D.W.
Kiayuyu M.	Jap.	O.S.K.Y.W.
Kintang	Br.	C.D.W.
Kungwo	Br.	Buoys 29-30
Kwaisang	Br.	Y.P.D.W.
Livatho	Gre.	K.L.Y.B. 1-2
Luise Moller	Br.	M.B.K.U.W.
Matsu M.	Jap.	W.W.
Mikage M. 3	Jap.	H.S.W.
Naruto M.	Jap.	Buoys 28-29
Needwood	Pan.	H.S.W.
Norah Moller	Br.	Y.P.D.W.
Norse Carrier	Pan.	C.N.C.B. 1-2
Orangemoor	Br.	Buoys 33-34
Polzella	Br.	Buoys 14-15
Rio Dorado	Br.	Buoys 31-32
Shishan	Br.	C.D.W.
Szechuen	Br.	C.N.C.W.
Taisunhong	Fr.	P.W.F.
Tangshan M.	Jap.	Buoys 25-26
Vilareal	—	Buoys 17a-18
Whangpu	Br.	Y.P.D.W.
Wuhu	Br.	Buoys 30-30a
Yamagata M.	Jap.	N.Y.K.W.
Yehimi M.	Jap.	O.S.K.Y.W.

Men-of-War in Port

Name	Flag	Type	Berthed
Bee	Br.	Gbt.	Y.P.D.
Ladybird	Br.	Gbt.	B.N.E.
Suffolk	Br	Cr.	B.N.E.
Augusta	Am.	Cr.	B.N.E.
Isabel	Am.	Stp.	U.S.N.B.
J.D. Ford 223	Am.	Dest.	S.O.C.W.
Sacramento	Am.	Gbt.	S.O.C.W.
L. Picquet	Fr.	Cr.	F.N.B.
S. de Brazza	Fr.	Gbt.	F.N.B.
Tahure	Fr.	Gbt.	F.N.B.
Lepanto	Itl.	Gbt.	J.N.B.
Ariake	Jap.	Dest.	5/6 B.
Arashi	Jap.	Rps.	8/9 B.
Destroyer 4	Jap.	Dest.	9/10 B.
Hakuai M.	Jap.	Tr.	C.M.C.W.
Hotatsu M.	Jap.	Tr.	D.K.K.W.W.
Idzumo	Jap.	Cr.	N.Y.K.W.
Kiku M.	Jap.	Tr.	26/27 B.
Nanko M.	Jap.	Tr.	J.K.W.
Rekizan M.	Jap.	Tr.	43/44 B.
Suitoku M.	Jap.	Tr.	O.S.K.Y.W.
Taihoku M.	Jap.	Tr.	J.K.W.
Yamayuri M.	Jap.	Tr.	C.M.L.W.

Sections of the Harbour

1 North Chinese Bund to Kinleeyuen.
2 Kinleeyuen Wharf to Signal Station.
3 Signal Station to Custom House.
4 Customs Shed to Peking Road Jetty.
5 Peking Road Jetty to Old Dock.
6 Old Dock to S. & H. Wharf Flagstaff
7 S. & H. Flagstaff to Old Ningpo.
8 Old Ningpo to Chinwangtao Jetty.
9 Chingwangtao to Waterworks Intake
10 Waterworks to Yanking Creek.
11 Yangking to Cosmopolitan Dock.

LOWER SECTION Cosmopolitan Dock to Woosung.

Wharves and Docks

S=Shanghai side. P=Pootung side.

APCGIW	A.P.C. Gough Is. Wharf	P I.S.
APCLW	A.P.C. Lower Wharf	P 11
APCUW	A.P.C. Upper Wharf	P 10
BJ	Boyd's Jetty	P 6
CMCW	China Merchants' Central	S 5
CMEW	China Merchants' Eastern	P 10
CMLW	China Merchants' Lower	S 7
CNCBs	China Nav. Co. Buoys	S 2
CNCW	China Nav. Co. Wharf	S 2
CNPW	C.N. Co. Pootung Wharf	S 2
COCW	China Oil Co. Wharf	P I.S.
CosD	Cosmopolitan Dock	P 11
CosDW	Cosmo. Dock Wharf	P 11
GJ	Garden Jetty	S 5
HSW	Hoong Shin Wharf Co.	P 1
HtsW	Hunt's Wharf	S 6
HWYK	Holt's Yang King	P 10
IntD	International Dock	P 11
IntDW	Int. Dock Wharf	P 11
JNJ	Japanese Naval Jetty	P 8
KLYBs	Kinleeyuen Buoys	S 1 & 2
KLYW	Kinleeyuen Wharf	S 1 & 2
KMAW	Kailan Wharf	P 10
KPW	Kaiyosha Pootung	P 10
KW	Kwanghua Oil Co.	P I.S.
MBKUW	M.B.K. Upper Wharf	P 8
MBKW	M.B.K. Wharf	P 11
McKW	Mackenzie's Wharf	P 2
NKKW	Nisshin Kisen Whf.	P US
NSCW	Ningshao Co. Wharf	S 1
NYKMW	N.Y.K. Mail Wharf	S 5
NYKPW	N.Y.K. Pootung Wharf	P 10
OD	Old Dock	S 6
ODW	Old Dock Wharf	S 6
ONW	Old Ningpo Wharf	S 7 & 8
OSKYW	O.S.K. Yangtszepoo	S 9
OW	Outside Woosung	
PWE	Pootung Wharf East, Ewo	P 9
PWW	Pootung Wharf West, Ewo	P 9
QA	Quarantine Anchorage	
SHW	S'hai & H'kew Whf.	S 6 & 7
SOCW	Standard Oil Wharf	P I.S.
TDW	Tai Dong Wharf	S 8
VOCW	Vacuum Oil Co. Wharf	P I.S.
WIA	Woosung Inner Anchorage	
WSW	Wayside Wharf	S 8
WTW	Watung Wharf	S 1
WW	Whangpoo Wharf	S 9
YPD	Yangtszepoo Dock	S 9
YPDW	Yangtszepoo Dock Whf	S 9
YW	Yangtszepoo Wharf	P 10

Vessels Arriving

All vessels are listed under their original port of call. The first date is that of the ship's departure from that port, and the second is the date she is due to arrive in Shanghai. Where a ship's name is duplicated it indicates the port of call last visited on her voyage to Shanghai.

EUROPE AND STRAITS

From GSLO

Triton	19/10	1/1
Tarn	18/11	6/1
Tricolor	17/12	8/2

From GOTHENBURG

Tarn	18/11	6/1

From GDYNIA

Antilochus	18/10	9/12
Titan	15/11	6/1

From GLASGOW

Aeneas	22/10	10/12
Sarpedon	19/11	4/1

From LIVERPOOL

Pyrrhus	8/11	23/11
Menestheus	8/11	25/11
Achilles	22/10	2/12
Helenus	5/11	20/12
Agamemnon	12/11	22/12
Sarpedon	26/11	4/1

From LONDON

Corfu	4/11	27/11
Bangalore	15/10	29/11
Hakusan M.	28/10	5/12
Haruna M.	11/11	19/12
Carthage	18/11	25/12
Bhutan	12/11	27/12
Behar	26/11	5/1

From HAMBURG

Aller	15/10	26/11
Scharnhorst	29/10	3/12
Potsdam	26/11	30/12
Lippe	12/11	1/1
Triton	13/11	1/1
Titan	19/11	6/1
Panama	15/11	7/1

From ROTTERDAM

Duisburg	28/10	12/12
Sauerland	11/11	20/12

From ANTWERP

Serooskerk	17/11	10/12
Zuiderkerk	21/11	14/1

From MARSEILLES

Aramis	28/10	25/11
Mar. Joffre	11/11	19/12
J. Laborde	25/11	23/12

From TRIESTE

Arabia	30/9	24/11
C. Verde	30/10	24/11
Fusijama	26/10	7/12

From NAPLES

Haruna M.	20/11	19/12

From PORT SAID

Scharnhorst	12/11	3/12
Aeneas	11/11	10/12
Afrika	5/11	13/12

From SUEZ

Antilochus	8/11	9/12
Duisburg	11/11	12/12

From DJIBOUTI

Mar. Joffre	20/11	10/12

From ADEN

Chitral	20/11	11/12

From COLOMBO

Serooskerk	21/11	10/12
Hakusan M.	21/11	5/12

From CALCUTTA

Talma	17/11	12/12

From BELAWAN

Aller	15/11	26/11

From SINGAPORE

Corfu	19/11	27/11
Bangalore	20/11	29/11

From SOERABAIA

Tjisaroea	7/11	30/11
Tjisadane	11/1	26/11

From BATAVIA

Tjisaroea	16/11	30/11

From MANILA

Menestheus	19/11	25/11
Tjisadane	20/11	26/11
Emp. Asia	21/11	27/11

From SAIGON

Aramis	19/11	25/11

From HONGKONG

See "China Ports" below

AMERICA AND JAPAN

From NEW YORK

Kattegat	8/10	23/11
Niel Maersk	8/10	25/11
Silversandal	24/10	10/12
Phemius	28/10	20/12

From VANCOUVER

Emp. Canada	12/11	29/11
Ixion	9/11	4/12
Emp. Russia	26/11	12/12

From LOS ANGELES

Silversandal	13/11	10/12
Phemius	19/11	20/12
Bidevind	9/11	21/12

From HONOLULU

Emp. Canada	18/11	29/11

From HONGKONG

See "China Ports" below

From OTARU

Somali	15/11	27/11

From NAGOYA

Somali	21/11	27/11
Hakozaki M.	21/11	28/11

From YOKOHAMA

Ajax	18/11	25/11

From KOBE

P. Doumer	19/11	21/11
Taiyo M.	21/11	23/11

From MIIKE

Fooshing	—	21/11

From NAGASAKI

Nagasaki M.	20/11	21/11
Shanghai M.	23/11	24/11
Nagasaki M.	25/11	26/11
Shanghai M.	28/11	29/11

AFRICA AND AUSTRALIA

From CAPE TOWN

Ruys	18/10	25/11
Boissevain	17/11	25/12

From MELBOURNE

Nankin	2/11	8/12
Nellore	3/12	9/1

From BRISBANE

Nankin	14/11	8/12

CHINA PORTS

From DAIREN

Tsingtao M.	18/11	21/11
Hoten M.	21/11	24/11
Dairen M.	24/11	27/11
Tsingtao M.	26/11	29/11
Tjisaroea	11/12	14/12

From TIENTSIN

Shuntien	17/11	21/11
Yingchow	16/11	21/11
Norviken	18/11	22/11
Hangsang	18/11	23/11
Shengking	20/11	23/11
Hunan	21/11	25/11

From TAKU

H. Peking	19/11	22/11

From CHEFOO

Yingchow	18/11	21/11

From TSINGTAO

Ajax	1/11	25/11

From HSINKONG

Suiwo	21/11	21/11

From HUPUKOW

Tatung	21/11	21/11

From HONGKONG

Shantung	17/11	21/11
Hangsang	18/11	22/11
Taiyuan	18/11	22/11
Pyrrhus	19/11	23/11
Arabia	21/11	24/11
Fausang	20/11	24/11
Kiungchow	21/11	25/11
Esang	22/11	26/11
Tsinan	23/11	27/11
Suiyang	23/11	27/11

Vessels Leaving

NORTH CHINA COAST

HOIHOW Nov. 21. TSINGTAO, WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO and TIENTSIN.—Leaves on Monday, Nov. 21, at 9 a.m. For freight and passage apply to Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 21-11

KAIPING Nov. 21. CHINWANGTAO DIRECT.—The Kailan Mining Administration will despatch the ss. Kaiping, Captain J. B. Struth, on Monday, November 21, 1938. For passage, apply to the Agent, 30 Foochow Road. Tel. 11070. 21-11

SANDVIKEN Nov. 22. TSINGTAO, CHEFOO and TIENTSIN.—Sails from Roosevelt Terminal Buoys on Tuesday, November 22, at 3 p.m. Tender for passengers from Customs Jetty at 2 p.m. Tuesday. For freight and passage apply Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. Tel. 15290. 22-11

SHUNTIEN Nov. 22. (Weihaiwei)—CHEFOO and TIENTSIN.—From French Bund on Tuesday, November 22, at 3 p.m. For freight and passage apply to Butterfield & Swire. Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 22-11

WOSANG Nov. 23. CHEFOO and TIENTSIN.—Sails from Roosevelt Terminal Buoys on Wednesday, Nov. 23, at 11 a.m. Tender for passengers from Customs Jetty at 10 a.m. Wednesday. For freight and passage apply Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. Tel. 15290. 23-11

KANCHOW Nov. 24. TSINGTAO, WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO and TIENTSIN. — From French Bund on Thursday, Nov. 24, at 11 a.m. For freight apply to Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 24-11

PYRRHUS Nov. 24. CHINWANGTAO, TAKU BAR and DAIREN.—For freight and passage apply agents, Butterfield & Swire, 21 French Bund. Tel. 82020. 24-11

Vessels Leaving

NORTH CHINA COAST

FAUSANG Nov. 26. TSINGTAO.—Sails from Roosevelt Terminal Wharf on Saturday, Nov. 26. "A" and "B" Saloon Accommodation. For freight and passage apply Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. Tel. 15290. 26-11

MENESTHEUS Nov. 26. TSINGTAO, KOBE, OSAKA and YOKOHAMA.—For freight and passage apply Agents, Butterfield & Swire, 21 French Bund. Tel. 82020. 26-11

SOUTH CHINA COAST

KRONVIKEN Nov. 22. SWATOW, HONGKONG, KWONGCHOWWAN, HOIHOW, PAKHOI and HAIPHONG.—Sails from Roosevelt Terminal Wharf on Tuesday, Nov. 22, at 10 a.m. For freight and passage apply Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. Tel. 15290. 22-11

SZECHUEN Nov. 22. SWATOW, HONGKONG, HOIHOW, PAKHOI and HAIPHONG. —From French Bund on Tuesday, Nov. 22, at 10.30 a.m. For freight and passage apply to Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 22-11

TJISALAK Nov. 23. AMOY, HONGKONG and JAVA PORTS.—The J.C.J.L. ss. Tjisalak sails from Shanghai (Customs Lower Buoys 12-13) on Wednesday, November 23, at 4 p.m., taking cargo to Hongkong and Java Ports. Passengers' tender leaves Customs Jetty on Wednesday, at 2.30 p.m. Excellent passenger accommodation. Through tickets issued to European and Australian Ports. For particulars apply to the Java-China-Japan Lijn Agentschap Shanghai N.V., Brunner Mond Building, 133 Szechuen Road. Tel. Nos. 16247 (4 Lines). 23-11

HSIN PEKING Nov. 24. CHUANCHOW and HSINGHWA. —From French Bund on Thursday, Nov. 24, at 11 a.m. For freight and passage apply to Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 24-11

TAIYUAN Nov. 24. AMOY and HONGKONG.—From French Bund on Thursday, Nov. 24, at 11 a.m. For freight and passage apply to Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 24-11

HANGSANG Nov. 25. SWATOW, HONGKONG, KWONGCHOWWAN, HOIHOW, PAKHOI and HAIPHONG.